

TAFT URGES WORLD COURT TO PREVENT WAR

Plan of League to Enforce Peace Would Not Curtail the Power of President and Congress

WASHINGTON, May 26.—American advocates of an international federation to curtail war after the present European struggle, met here today for the first assembly of the new League to Enforce Peace. William Howard Taft, president of the league, and Newton D. Baker, secretary of war, were on the day's program and President Wilson's address at the closing session tomorrow night will be a significant utterance, it is thought. About 2000 persons, including presidents of universities, railroads, commercial, labor and farm organizations, attended the meeting.

Taft's Address

Acceptance of membership by the United States in a world court in which the joint powers would use armed and economic forces to enforce its decrees in the interest of international peace, was urged today by former President Taft before the League.

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COLEMAN FREE IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

The Cambridge Bank Wrecker Released From Jail Today

GREENFIELD, May 26.—George W. Coleman of Cambridge, whose thefts of \$300,000 while bookkeeper of the National City Bank of Cambridge forced that institution to suspend, was released from the jail here today on receipt of official orders from the federal board of parole. That body, it was announced yesterday, voted to release Coleman, who has served six years of a 15-year sentence.

Good behavior induced this term to ten years and the papers of parole stipulate that the former bookkeeper shall remain within the jurisdiction of this state until June, 1920. Coleman said today that he planned to go to work for his father, Walter G. Coleman, a coal dealer of Cambridge. "I shall live a straight life. I know its value now," he said.

Coleman did not leave the jail immediately on the arrival of the papers, but awaited relatives with whom he was to return home by automobile.

DROWNED IN BROOK

BODY OF UNKNOWN MAN AWAITS IDENTIFICATION AT HIGGINS' BROS.—FOUND FLOATING

The body of an unknown man was found floating in Hale's brook at about 7 o'clock this morning. Police officers were notified and they brought the body to the shore and later had it removed to the funeral chambers of Undertakers Higgins Bros. in Lawrence street.

A description of the body follows: Height, 5 feet 6 inches; weight, 155 pounds; hair, dark. Black suit with a pay envelope marked "James" in blue pencil, the last name on the envelope being erased. The man was about 35 or 40 years of age.

The body has been identified as that of James Keating.

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Written by Delphine Lee, High School Comm. Dept., May 26th.

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WAITE TOLD ALIENIST HE INTENDED TO KILL WIFE

Said He Married Her for Money—Did Not Intend to Stop at Anything to Gain His End—Waite Declared He Did Not Think He Was Crazy and Denied Saying "Man From Egypt" Killed His Father-in-Law

NEW YORK, May 26.—Dr. Arthur W. Waite told an alienist engaged for his defense in his trial for the murder of his father-in-law, John E. Peck, a Grand Rapids, Mich., millionaire, that he had intended to kill his wife, Clara Peck Waite, and that he married her only for her money, according to testimony given by Dr. Morris J. Karpas, the alienist, today. Dr. Karpas added that Waite said he did not intend to stop at anything to gain his ends.

Previously Waite had said on the stand he "was not sure that he would

not have killed his wife."

Waite declared he did not think he was crazy and denied that he had at any time pretended that he was insane, denied that he had ever told the prosecutors that "the man from Egypt" had killed Mr. Peck, and swore that he slept perfectly after the murder. He declared that he had wanted to kill himself and "made a pretty good attempt at it."

Accused of planning to leave the country with Mrs. Margaret Horton, he said he "did not know" they were going away. Dr. Waite declined to

admit that he had made himself appear worse than he was in order to convince the jury that he was insane. The alienist for Waite testified that he did not appear to be mentally well and that he was abnormal in that all his interests were centered in himself.

WOMEN EXCLUDED

NEW YORK, May 26.—Could a sane man commit the series of crimes confessed by Dr. Arthur Warren Waite? This question confronted the jury

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HEAVY FIGHTING AT VERDUN CONTINUES

Few Changes in Position, Says Paris--French Regain Some of Lost Ground--Activity in Saloniki--The Germans Claim 600 French Captured

Violent fighting continues on the Verdun front, but according to the afternoon bulletin of the French war office it has resulted in few changes of position.

The French have regained some of the ground lost to the Germans yesterday between Haudremont wood and Thiaumont farm, to the east of the Meuse says the official statement while to the west of that stream a German attack on the Dead Man hill position was stopped by the French barrier of fire.

New efforts by the German crown prince to advance against the French left flank, between Dead Man hill and the Avocourt wood, probably are preparation as the artillery bombardment in this sector is reported as particularly intense.

The Austrian drive into Italian territory apparently is not proceeding with anything like its initial velocity.

The opinion is expressed in Rome that a continuance would show a reversal of the conditions that heretofore have favored the Austrians, owing to the superior communicating lines in the Italian rear.

Activity in Saloniki

Indications that some military move of importance is impending in the Balkans are contained in despatches from

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BOLD DASH FROM COURT

Prisoner Made Sensational Escape From Police Court—Recaptured This Afternoon

One of the most sensational incidents that ever took place in the local court room occurred this morning shortly after 11 o'clock when Ernest Turner, who was arrested for larceny and who was to be returned to the Massachusetts reformatory at Concord dashed through the court room and down the rear stairway, making his escape. Several officers and spectators in the court room gave chase, but Turner made such time through Market street and into Prescott street that he outdistanced his pursuers with comparative ease.

Turner was arrested during the early part of the week on a warrant charging him with the larceny of three razors, a cigar and cigaret case, a cigar holder and a bag, all of the value of about \$25, the property of John S. Peters of Hampshire street. Turner had been in the habit of visiting the Peters house and on May 8, it is alleged, he stole the articles. He then disappeared but during the early part of the week he returned to this city and was arrested.

This morning when the case was called, Deputy Downey informed the court that there was a warrant for Turner's return to the reformatory and the local case was placed on the docket and Court Officer Philip Dwyer opened the prisoner's cage and started downstairs with Turner. They had gone down but three or four steps when Turner said: "I would like to speak to my mother." He started back and Officer Dwyer followed him. When Turner opened the door leading into the court

room, he passed through and then

slamming the door raced across the court room to the door leading from the rear entrance, down the stairs and into the street. Just about the time the people in the court room realized that Turner was making his escape Turner's mother, who occupied a seat on the opposite side of the room, shrieked loudly, and everyone's attention was attracted to her for the instant and in the meantime Turner made his getaway.

After reaching the street he ran through Market street, into Prescott

and entering a poolroom he climbed through a window and disappeared.

The police throughout the city were immediately notified of the escape and ordered to search for the man and arrest him on sight.

It is said that this is the first time that a prisoner has escaped from the local court room.

Re-arrested: Early this afternoon Turner was arrested in the basement of Scott's poolroom on Central street by Lt. Maher, Inspector Walsh and Sergt. Pettie.

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NEWS FROM CITY HALL AND THE DEPARTMENTS

Captain George Worthen Congratulated on 73rd Birthday—Street Hearings This Evening

The most talked about thing at city hall today was the fact that this day marks the 73rd milestone in Capt. Geo. E. Worthen's journey over the highway of life. Capt. Worthen is the superintendent of state aid and he is really the grand old man of city hall. But don't let him hear you say it out loud, for Captain George E. Worthen will tell you that he is 73 years young.

There is no more genial man in Lowell than the same Captain Worthen. Previous to becoming superintendent of state aid, which position he took up in 1909, he had been connected with the water department in a clerical capacity for twenty-one years. He is quite familiar with all

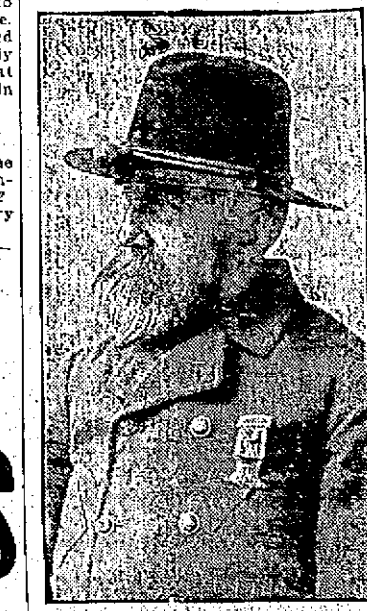
months as he had been years in the war. His father had a grocery store in Lowell at the time and occupied a building opposite city hall.

About two weeks after arriving at Plymouth, N. H., Mr. Worthen's father was taken sick and the soldier boy had to come to Lowell and buckle down to a grocery business.

Capt. Worthen has been chosen chief of staff for the Memorial day parade and when The Sun man called at his

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NOTICE: The Newark Shoe Store, corner Central and Merrimack streets, will be open Saturday night until 10:30 and Monday night until 10 o'clock.



CAPT. GEO. E. WORTHEN

of the "ins and outs" at city hall. He is not much of a politician and is a stickler for a fair deal.

Capt. Worthen was a three-year man in the Civil war, was connected with the militia for eighteen years and was the high school military instructor three years. He was born in this city May 26, 1843, and went to war Aug. 14, 1862. He was mustered out at Richmond, Va., June 21, 1865, and arrived at his father's summer home in Plymouth, N. H., on the fourth of July. He had over \$1000 in his jeans at the time and he decided he would take a three months' vacation as many

CHILD SCALDED

Little One Fell Into Boiling Water—May Die From Burns

John James Fletcher, aged four years, was probably fatally burned this morning as a result of falling into a tub of scalding water at the home of his parents, 3 Union street. He was badly burned about the back and little hope is entertained for his recovery.

The boy's mother was washing clothes and a tub filled with boiling water was placed on the floor and while the woman's back was turned the child in some unaccountable manner fell into the water.

The ambulance was summoned and the little one was taken to St. John's hospital where everything possible was done to alleviate his suffering and save his life but the doctors entertain little hope for his recovery.

Dance with the Chippewas tonight.

FELL FROM A BUILDING

ROY MORRILL SERIOUSLY INJURED WHILE PAINTING HOUSE ON WESTFORD STREET

Roy Morrill, employed as painter by Gardner E. Buckland, fell from a building in Westford street on which he was working about 10:30 o'clock this morning and was seriously injured. The ambulance was summoned and he was taken to St. John's hospital where he is now under treatment. Morrill resides at 201 Middlesex street.

George Martin suffered an injury to his back at the Lowell Textile school this morning. He was taken to the Lowell hospital where he received treatment. He resides at 317 Bridge street.

ON KIDNAPPING CHARGE

EDITOR, SWARE OUT COMPLAINT AGAINST LAWRENCE OFFICERS—HEARING SET FOR JUNE 7

LAWRENCE, May 26.—Joseph J. Ettor, Industrial Workers of the World organizer, who led the big textile strike in this city in 1912 and who claims he was driven out of Lawrence by the police last Monday after he had come here to take charge of the strike of loomfixers at the Pacific mills, today filed a complaint in the district court here charging City Marshal Maurice F. McKenna, Lieut. Charles E. Voss and Inspectors Patrick Morrissey and Charles R. Woodcock with kidnapping. Judge Mahoney set Wednesday, June 7, as the date for a hearing in the case.

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The Chapel Street school was sold at public auction on behalf of the city this afternoon by Mr. Walter Guyette for \$1580. It is a two and a half story structure on a site containing 4033 square feet. The purchaser was Nicholas Cazanas.

HUNTING FOR MURDERER

RELATIVES OF HENRY S. BRIGGS SAY HE HAD OVER \$2300 WHEN MURDERED

LONSDALE, R. I., May 26.—Relatives of Henry S. Briggs, who was found murdered in his cobbler shop yesterday say he had over \$2300 on his person yesterday morning and that he intended to purchase some land in the vicinity of his shop. The police found only \$50 when they searched his pockets. Providence and Central Falls detectives have been called upon to assist the local police in hunting for the murderer.

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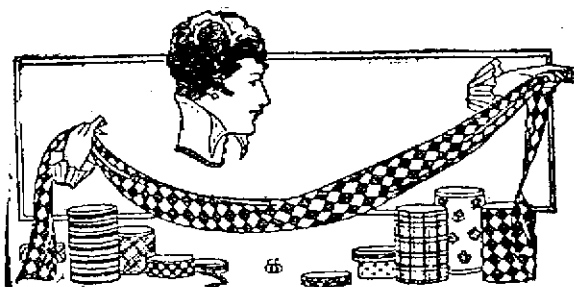
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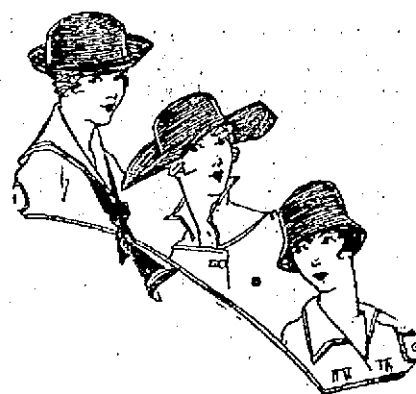
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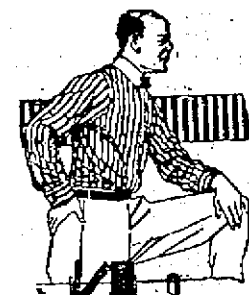
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A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

In years gone by, the Memorial day parades were confined to the members of the Grand Army posts, the militia, Sons of Veterans and the high school regiment, but as the ranks of the veterans have gradually diminished more reverence has been paid them by the public generally, and on each succeeding year while the number of survivors of the war in line has continued to grow less, the parades themselves have grown larger, for year by year, some additional organization has been proud of the privilege of doing honor to the defenders of the country by appearing in the Memorial day parade. This year the police department will furnish an escort, on Memorial day. In former years a police detail of perhaps one dozen men would lead the parade but this year all members of the department who are not on duty, at the request of Mayor O'Donnell, will appear in line, and hence as probably some 85 or 90 men will turn out, they will make an imposing appearance.

Quarter of a century ago there were no Spanish War veterans, and the Grand Army men had the day to themselves. In the morning of Memorial day, quarter of a century ago, the members of Post 185 journeyed to Chelmsford where they decorated the graves of the deceased veterans of that town. Following this labor of love and respect, they marched to the town hall where dinner was served by the ladies of the town and an address was made by E. W. Thompson. In the afternoon they returned to Lowell to participate in the local observance. The different posts visited the cemeteries in the early afternoon, and then assembled at the South common for the parade. The bands and field music assembled at the common and under the leadership of James A. Murphy, leader of Post 42 Drum corps, gave a program as a consolidated band. Then followed the usual parade and the exercises at the Ladd and Whitney monument, followed by the campfires in the different post halls. In the evening, the day was closed with exercises in Huntington hall which consisted of a concert by the Allen Cornet band of Billerica, singing by a quartet, an address by Alderman Jeremiah Crowley, and an oration by Col. Henry Stone of Boston. The roster of the parade of quarter of a century ago was as follows:

Allen's Cornet band
Chief marshal, G. E. Pinkham
Chief of staff, George E. Worthen
Aids: Battalion of militia, Capt. O. M. Merrill, acting major; Lieut. A. K. Prince, adjutant C. Co., Sixth regiment; Capt. W. F. Han, G. Co., Sixth regiment; Lieut. George E. Lull, M. Co., Ninth regiment; Lieut. A. D. Mitten, D. Co., Second Corps, Cadets; Capt. W. H. Hosmer, High school battalion; Capt. W. N. Shaw, acting major.

Musicians' Summer Engagements

Quarter of a century ago, there were no all the town and outside shows in Lowell, but one summer resort, in the immediate vicinity of the city, to demand the services of local musicians and hence each year there was an exodus of the professional musicians from Lowell to the different summer engagements. In those days the American orchestra which was organized and directed for many years by Prof. Emil Borjes, and which still retains its name and many of its original members, had a steady theatrical engagement for the fall and winter at the Lowell Opera House, then at the height of its success, as the producer of leading attractions. But when the Opera House closed for the summer, the orchestra disbanded, the members, being themselves to various congenial hot weather engagements where they remained until it was time to return home for the reopening of the theatre. Hence The Sun of quarter of a century ago under the headline: "Lowell Musicians Off for the Summer" had the following:

Emil J. Borjes, W. H. Valentine, Joseph T. Jeannotte, R. W. McDaniel, C. J. Seales and O. R. Parks, of the American orchestra, will play on the new steamer Plymouth of the Fall River line. Emil Lavigne, C. B. Hill, G. E. Bryant, James Larkin will play on the steamer Providence of the same line. W. A. Owen, Fred Bryant and Charles Young have been engaged at Centre Harbor. E. H. Aiken goes to Redfield Springs, N. Y., and C. S. Sturtevant will play with Hooper's band, of Fall River.

Changes in "The Square"
As Merrimack square has taken on a more metropolitan aspect than ever, with its newly installed semaphores in position, so it did quarter of a century ago when the street car lines consolidated and began running belt line cars through the square. The old Sun said of the change:

"The change in the mode of running the street cars has raised some confusion in the past week, but when people get thoroughly acquainted with the system, it will be found decidedly preferable to that just abandoned. The square at Prescott street is now relieved of the blockade of cars and the continuous passage of cars gives it a somewhat metropolitan appearance. The passage between any two points in the city can, with few exceptions, be made faster now than formerly on the street cars."

And they thought the square had taken on a metropolitan aspect quarter of a century ago, just because the street cars after coming into the city, parted by way of Prescott street, instead of stopping, shifting horses and returning the way they came. In those days, the old Wellman block, which has changed in name only—the Grosvenor in quarter of a century, was the most imposing building in Merrimack square. The Russell building and the Howe building, across the street, hadn't been completed, while The Sun building was a two-story affair. Page's and the Chalifoux buildings were not dreamed of in those days, and in their places were ramshackle two and three-story affairs. The Grosvenor block and the ten-footers from the Courier-Citizen up to the Hildreth building, are the only reminders of days gone by now remaining in the city's business and traffic centre.

Foresters' State Convention
In the report of the state convention of Foresters, held quarter of a century ago in Fall River, the names of several Lowell men appeared. At the state elections, the following were elected delegates to the national convention: Laurence J. Smith, William H. Stafford, P. A. Brousseau, H. C. McOsler and John J. Cluin. Among the state officers elected were Denis O'Brien, S. H. C. R. and William H. Harrigan, H. J. B. Of these Messrs. Smith and O'Brien have since passed away, but all of the others are still active members of the order.

THE OLD TIMER.

Most of the nurses in the Russian Red Cross are members of well-to-do families.

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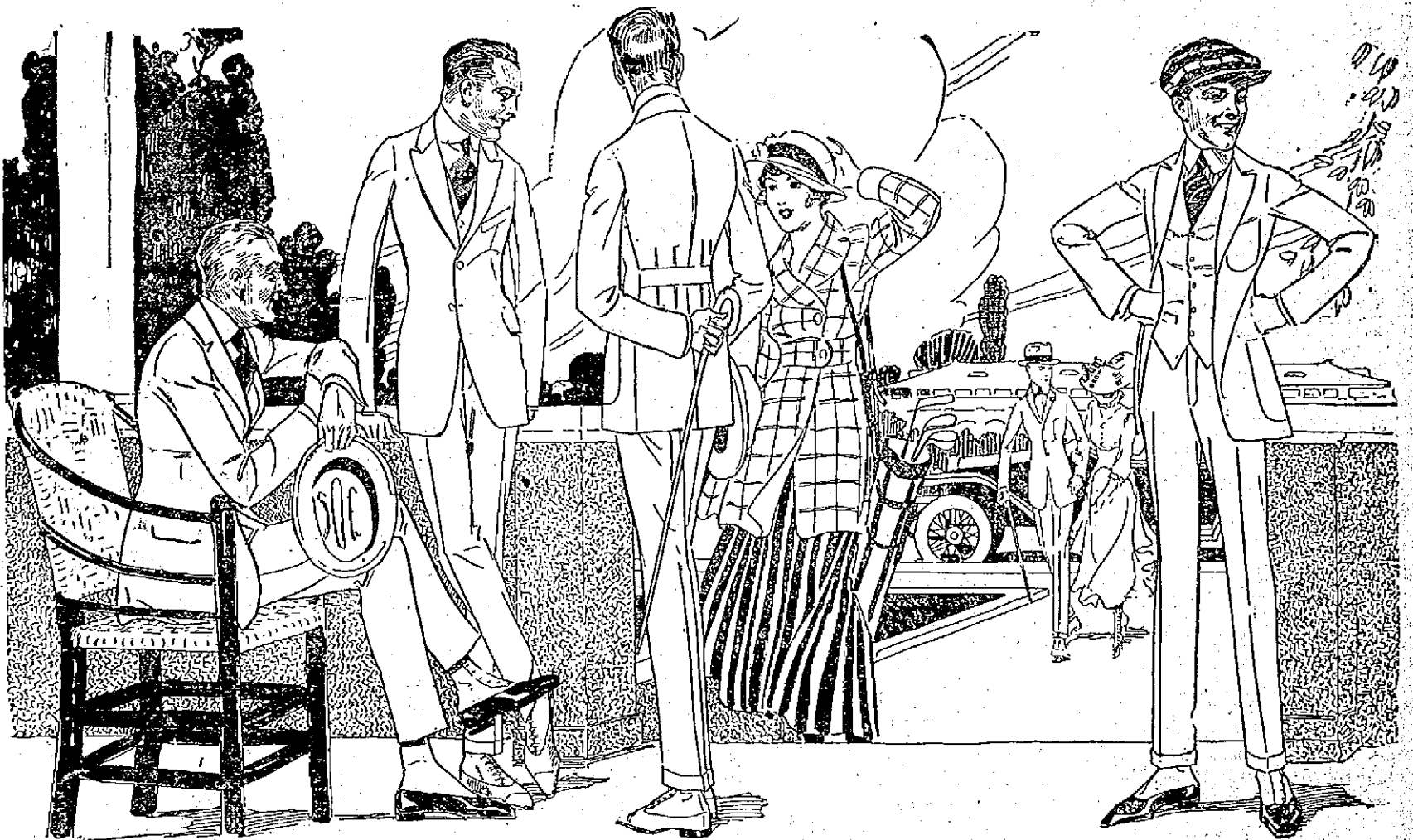
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A black and white illustration of a woman standing, facing slightly to the right. She is wearing a long, dark, patterned coat with a high collar and a matching skirt. On her head is a tall, ornate hat with a decorative band. She is holding a cigarette in her right hand, which is raised towards her face. The illustration is done in a sketchy, cross-hatched style.



CARS TO MEET TRAINS

BAY STATE COMPANY DECIDES TO HAVE ITS CARS CONNECT WITH TRAINS AT LOCAL STATIONS

Additional connections between its cars and the steam trains at the Lowell, Haverhill and Wilmington railroad stations is the purpose of the Bay State Street Railway company in an order covering the Lowell division which becomes effective Monday, May 23.

The company has prepared, after a careful study of the situation, a schedule showing its cars which—normal conditions prevail—may be depended upon to make good connections with outgoing trains at the railroad stations named. The schedule also lists certain cars which will connect and in certain cases wait a reasonable period in order to connect with incoming trains at the same stations.

It is the expectation that the new arrangement will prove a boon to those who make daily use of both street cars and trains. A glance at the schedule will show readily how time may be saved at these railroad stations and long waits for train or street car avoided.

In certain cases cars of the Bay State which have not because of unavoidable circumstances heretofore made connections with important trains are by a rearrangement made to do so. Car crews are instructed to use every endeavor consistent with safe operation to make connections.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH THEATRE

Douglas Fairbanks has earned the title of the "best light comedian on the moving picture stage" through his performance in "The Lamb," the five-part Triangle Fine Arts picture play, which was shown at the B. F. Keith theatre for the first time yesterday. It will be repeated twice today and tomorrow, and should prove intensely interesting to lovers of good acting and splendid photography. There are many contrasting elements in this production. For instance, one is shown New York society of the most exclusive brand, and then again, he is taken to the alkali and cactus wastes of Mexico, where, by the way, the greater part of the picture was taken.

Fairbanks is specially apt at depicting characters of well-bred young men. He has plenty of polish and the understanding of such persons, and so is a valuable accession to the film drama. With him in this piece is Seena Owen, the very attractive little Danish actress, who contributes a big measure of success to the play. "The Lamb" was a rank tenderfoot who was shamed into making a man of himself. Fate played its little part in sending him down across the Mexican frontier, where he was captured by Yaqui Indians who were on the war path. His sweetheart had been invited down to a ranch in that part of the world, and the lamb was sort of following her. And the sweetheart, (Seena Owen) was taken in tow by the Yaquis. Now it so happened that the lamb came upon the Indians at about the time they were having troubles with the Mexican regulars.

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They didn't distinguish between a Mexican and an American, if they cared at all. They simply wanted to carve the lamb, and use his sweet heart. But the lamb and his sweet heart didn't know that each was in a bad plight until they were thrown into a common prison, which, in the course of warfare, became heavily bombarded. The twin worked a machine gun for all they were worth and scattered a lot of the hostile Indians, but their ammunition ran short, and but for the timely appearance of the First regular cavalry the picture play wouldn't have been presented. There are many scenes of conflict in this picture, and the best of the lot is the rough-and-tumble battle between the Mexicans and the Indians. Both are just what they are represented as being, and the Indians are of a far different brand from what we are used to seeing. They are southwestern Indians, a short, runty lot with very bad eyes and plenty of courage. This picture will score a hit, for it is everything necessary to make success. Among the other good films is the Triangle comedy, "The Hunt," in which Ford Sterling and Polly Moran are featured. This is one succession of funny things from start to finish, and it's bound to provoke screams of laughter. The Hearst-Vitagraph news of the day is another new feature, and in addition there are several first class shorter films. On Monday of next week Miss Billie Burke in the first two parts of "Gloria's Romance" will be shown. This is the biggest and best motion picture serial ever shown.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Marjorie Stenett's great battleship picture, "Defense of Tribute," is a picture which every liberty loving American citizen should see; the children should also be sent to witness the great spectacle which will be shown today and tomorrow at all the performances at the Merrimack Square theatre. Parents should feel it their duty to see that their little ones attend. Millions for defense but not one cent for tribute is the theme of the great play which is the result of the conference held recently by some of the greatest men of this country. Let not today or tomorrow pass without learning the vital lessons taught by this pictorial warning. The character portraying genius Geo. Behan will also appear at all the performances at the Merrimack Square theatre today and tomorrow in his latest and greatest success, "Pasquale," a beautiful story of sunny Italy. Charlie Chaplin will also entertain during the next three days at this theatre and other pictures will also be shown.

OWL THEATRE

Carlisle Blackwell, one of the greatest favorites of all the motion picture stars of the world, will be seen at the Owl theatre on today and tomorrow in one of the best Equitable feature films ever produced, entitled "The Clarion," a photoplay which tells of the wonderful fight made by the young editor of a newspaper against the grinding and oppression of the poor by the rich and aristocratic. The mad desire to fight the cause of the common people was aroused in the young editor when he, one day, witnessed the killing of a young girl by a car which whirled around a corner, like a juggernaut, and knocked her senseless. He fires the first shot—ruin is promised him. But this shot was the incentive to a mad, surging mob, made beasts by numbers, who rushed through the streets and trampled police and onlookers beneath the heel of vengeance. Onward they rush, the power to destroy is realized. Stones and flaming torches are thrown; the mob recognizes neither God nor man—and in the end—but better visit the Owl today or tomorrow and see what really does happen in this picture, the greatest photoplay which has ever been released by the Equitable company.

Charlie Chaplin, the million dollar a year comedian and the best little gloom-chaser in the world, will be seen at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow in a new three-reel feature, entitled "The Gang Leader." Other attractions will also be presented at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow.

ROYAL THEATRE

Among the numerous subjects offered for approval at the week-end performance of the Royal theatre, "Who's Guilty," second novel and an episode of "The Mysteries of Myra" in attraction. In "Who's Guilty?" the biggest problems of today's treatment in a new way. Each story is treated by its strength of dramatic power and wonderful realism. Produced by the Arrow-Pathe company and starring Tom Moore and Anna Nilsson, two favorites whose many appearances on the screen and stage warrant their place as co-stars in this new series of novels, Howard Estabrook and Jean Sothorn, the stars in "The Mysteries of Myra" are another popular couple, whose work is admired at the present time, and they bid fair to out-do most serial stars. Both of these subjects are different. "The Mysteries" contains much sensation, with just the right episode of common sense, while on the other hand, "Who's Guilty" is thoroughly an educational as well as dramatic offering. "A Child of the Woods" and "Margot" for Sunday.

JEWEL THEATRE

"Peg o' the Ring," the circus serial with Cunard and Ford, and a five-act Mutual masterpiece, "The Craving," with William Russell, are the leading attractions for the week-end at the Jewel theatre. Many other new dramas and comedies will complete the performance, which is above the ordinary. "The Dollar Mark" will be presented for Sunday only.

LAKEVIEW MEMORIAL DAY

The Sixth Regiment band will render the following program at Lakeview park, Tuesday evening, Memorial day, May 30 from 8 until 10 p. m.:
March, Lights Out.....Brooks
Overture, Recollection of the War.....Beyer

Popular numbers:
a. On My Way to Oregon
b. Good-Bye, Good Luck, God Bless You
Selection from the Opera "Chin Chin".....Caryl

Descriptive, Custer's Last Fight
Concert waltz, Les Patineurs.....Waltz

Suite.....Souza
a. The White Man
b. The Black Man
c. The Red Man

Selection, The Sunny South.....Lampe
Songs of the Nation.....Lampe
March, Soldiers of Uncle Sam.....Smith

LAKEVIEW PARK

The following program will be rendered at Lakeview park from 3 till 5 Sunday afternoon, May 28 by the Sixth Regiment band under the direction of Chief Musician Bissonnette:

March, 15th Regiment.....Richards
Overture, The Bohemian Girl.....Baile

Popular numbers:
a. Rocky Road to Dublin.....Berlin
b. Don't Bite the Hand.....Spyder
Cornet solo, The Sphinx.....Williams

Selection from "Alone at Last".....Primi
Bits of Remick's Hits, 1916.....Lampe
Excerpts from "Paddy Whack".....O'Connell
Descriptive, A Day at West Point.....Bendix

Measures from favorite operas
March, The Little Grey Mother.....Remicks

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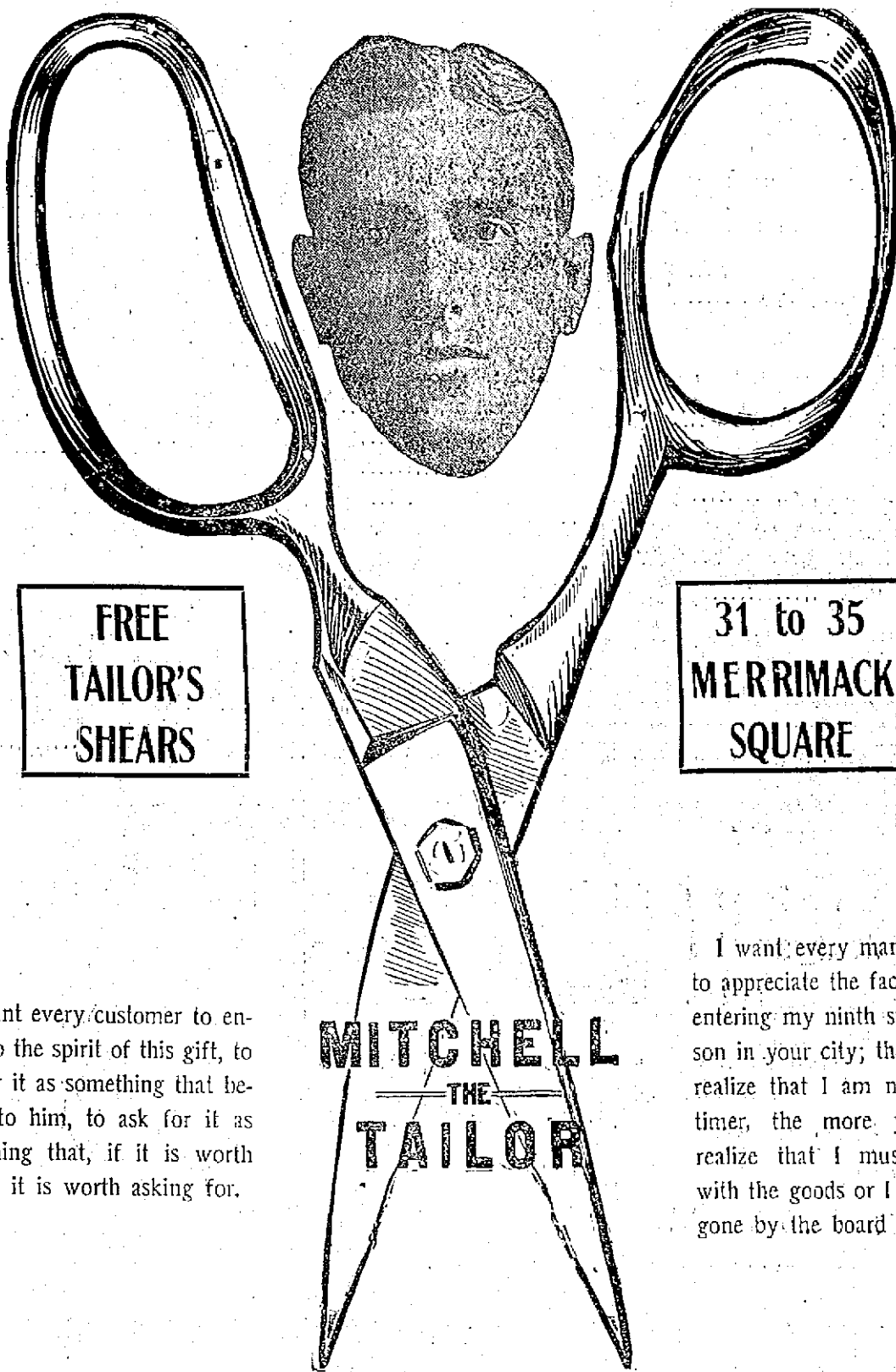
The spontaneous demand Saturday from the City of Lowell people for my free Heinisch Shears offer was a remarkable indication of the popularity of my special gift to the ladies who brought their sons and husbands, brothers and sweethearts to my Lowell store for Spring suitings.

Inclement and unseasonable weather, however, operated to keep out-of-town customers at home in large numbers and prevented them from sharing in the opportunity to get these beautiful shears for the home.

To give these customers a chance to get the shears that many would have called for last Saturday, I make this offer extend two more days only.

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BRANDEIS CASE

Nomination Will be Finally Disposed of Next Week

WASHINGTON, May 26.—An agreement was reached among senators today under which the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis to the supreme court will be finally disposed of next week practically without discussion in the senate. The specific date will be fixed later. Those opposing Mr. Brandeis admitted the nomination was virtually certain of confirmation. The agreement was reached by republican members of the judiciary committee who oppose confirmation and their republican colleagues, who carried through the favorable report on the nomination. Majority and minority reports will be made public when the senate's action is announced.

JAS. J. HILL VERY ILL

DR. MAYO, SURGEON, HURRYING TO ST. PAUL ON A SPECIAL TRAIN TODAY

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 26.—Dr. William Mayo, surgeon, Rochester, Minn., was hurrying today to St. Paul on a special train to attend James J. Hill, who is ill at his home here. His son, L. W. Hill, president of the Great Northern railroad, went in a special train this morning for Dr. Mayo. They are expected in St. Paul about 5 p. m. Mr. Hill, who has been ill for ten days, is thought to have taken a bad turn.

MAN KILLED, WIFE HURT

HORSE RAN AWAY WITH LEXINGTON COUPLE ON LEXINGTON ROAD YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

BOSTON, May 26.—Martin Fisher, 40, a paper hanger, of Bedford street, Lexington, was instantly killed, and his wife was rendered unconscious and suffered bruises and cuts about the head, when the horse attached to the buggy in which they were riding became frightened late yesterday afternoon and raced madly down the road, hurling the couple against a stone wall, as Fisher tried to guide the animal around a turn in the road on old Lexington road, near Lincoln Centre.

VERMONT FOR HUGHES

RESOLUTION INSTRUCTING DELEGATES TO SUPPORT JUSTICE FOR PRESIDENT

MONTPELIER, Vt., May 26.—The Vermont delegation to the national republican convention will go to Chicago instructed for Justice Charles E. Hughes. A resolution to this effect was adopted when the state convention opened today.

Frank E. Howe, of Bennington, was chairman. United States Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman of Illinois, was scheduled to speak this afternoon. The foreign and Mexican policies of the administration and its attitude on the question of national preparedness were condemned in resolutions.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Security First

Have you had your eyes examined to see if they are under, or up to what is required of them? They should have the best possible attention to secure good vision. If your glasses are not absolutely correct they are not giving your eyes the comfort they should have. We examine eyes and do it right.

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| Oil Sweet Almond, oz. | 15c | Epsom Salts, lb. | 8c |
| Oil Cassia, (cinnamon), oz. | 15c | Powdered Borax, lb. | 12c |
| Oil Cloves, oz. | 15c | Boric Acid, lb. | 25c |
| Oil Wintergreen, (synthetic), oz. | 30c | Formaldehyde, pt. | 25c |
| Oil Wintergreen, (sweet birch), oz. | 35c | Liquid Disinfectant, qt. | 25c |
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WOMAN HAILED TO COURT

Man More Guilty is Shielded—Judge Enright Displeased—Fracas on "Front Row"

A rather extraordinary state of affairs was brought to light in police court this morning during the hearing of the case of George B. Dole, aged 28 years, who pleaded guilty to having received \$10, which she knew was stolen property. The man, who it is alleged, received the money and gave her the \$10 was not brought into court. According to the story told in court (Continued on Page Ten)

SHERIFFS TO PARADE
Sheriff Falcabain has ordered all the deputy sheriffs in Middlesex county to report at the start of the big parade to be held in Boston tomorrow. As there are no court sessions on Saturday, the deputies will all be able to join the march.

NAVAL BILL PROGRAM
IT CARRIES \$125,000 FOR STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS FOR NAVAL SCHOOLS
Special to The Sun
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 26.—The naval appropriation bill in addition to appropriations for the Boston navy yard include \$125,000 to reimburse the state of Massachusetts for expenses incurred by the state for the maintenance of naval schools. The democrats plan that the house will pass the bill on June 2nd before the conventions.

LANSING NOT TO RESIGN

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Secretary Lansing attended the cabinet meeting today after having been confined to his home by an attack of indigestion for nearly a week.

The state department made this statement regarding published reports that Secretary Lansing was contemplating resigning from the cabinet because of differences with President Wilson.

"This story is part of a propaganda, the deliberate purpose of which is to create an appearance of dissension in the government which does not exist. The story was first born last February or March when the relations between the United States and Germany were somewhat strained. It was sent to Berlin by wireless in press despatches. It was picked up in transit in an allied country and subsequently published there. In that way the state department became cognizant of the story and instructions were sent to Berlin to watch out for it. Apparently by the persons responsible found out because it never was published in Germany. The directors of this propaganda have now taken advantage of Secretary Lansing's illness to put out the story again."

Mr. Lansing personally denied that he was considering resigning as he left the White House.

MRS. JOHN J. SULLIVAN DEAD
NORTH ABINGTON, May 26.—Mrs. Catherine Sullivan, wife of John L. Sullivan, the former champion heavyweight pugilist of the world, died at her home on Randolph street, West

Food Sale TODAY

By the Avelis Class of the Calvary Baptist Church

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

Butterick's Patterns, All the Best Fashion Sheets and All Summer Styles Are Ready. West Section, Bridge.

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Several hundred new hats, all of our usual high standard, just in time for Memorial Day wearing. White hats are supreme.

Leghorn Hats	\$1.49 to \$3.98	Panama Hats	98c
Fine Milans	\$2.98 and \$3.49	White Chip Hats	79c
Hemp and Milan Hemp Hats	98c, \$1.49 and \$1.98		

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Pongee Silks

ON SALE TODAY

At About 1-3 Of Regular Prices

This lot comes to us as the accumulation of Remnants made during the last three months by the big silk mills that send us their bargain lots.

Pongees are more desirable this season than ever, and as the quantities are none too large we advise an early purchase.

Lot 1—1000 Yards Natural Color Pongee, all pure silk and splendid quality, one yard wide; regular price \$1.50, only 59c Per Yard

Lot 2—500 Yds. All Silk Pongee, 32 inches wide, in the new sport stripes; regular price \$1.50, only 59c Yd.

Lot 3—300 Yards Heavy Palm Beach Pongee Suitings, suitable for coats, jackets, suits and dresses, full yard and a half wide; regular price \$2.75, only 98c Yard

Palmer Street

SPECIAL LOTS OF Summery Things for Men MOSTLY UNDERPRICED

25 Dozen Men's Pajamas, samples and run of the factory, one of our best makers, neat stripes and plain shades, made up in the best manner. To close69c and \$1.00	Men's Negligee Shirts, 69c, 3 for \$2.00—Just received, 150 dozen high grade shirts, made up in the best styles for summer wear, cuffs attached, laundered or soft French; also with collar attached. These were bought many months ago and are of fast colors; \$1.00 value. Special69c, 3 for \$2.00
25 Dozen Men's Summer Night Shirts, special lot made from fine cotton, trimmed with red, white or blue, full sizes, 15 to 20 collar. Special50c	Men's Negligee Shirts \$1.00—25 Dozen Samples from one of the best makers of high grade shirts, all this season's styles, made in coat style, cuff attached, laundered or French; regular prices \$1.50 to \$2.00. To close \$1.00 Each
Men's Nainsook Union Suits 59c, 3 for \$1.50—These garments are made in the finest manner, athletic cut, knee length, no sleeve, elastic shoulder and back. Special 59c, 3 for \$1.50	The Uncle Sam Work Shirts 50c—We have a large assortment of this well known brand the prices and quality the same as last year; all sizes 14 to 18½50c as Usual
Men's Union Suits \$1.00—Our leaders, Roxford, Carter's, One Button, Augusta Wonderwear, B. V. D., made in all the popular styles, short or long sleeves, knee, three-quarters or ankle length. Made from fine combed yarns and nainsook, light weights for summer wear. Special\$1.00	Men's Fibre Silk Hose 25c, 6 Pairs for \$1.38—Our special No. 300. The orders for these were placed very early and the makers have delivered the goods up to the usual standard. Our leader25c, 6 for \$1.38

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REDUCED TO \$10 AND 12.50

SUITS at \$10.00 Were \$15.00 and \$18.50 Colors, check, green and Copenhagen.

SUITS at \$12.50 Were \$22.50 and \$25.00 Colors, Copenhagen and checks.

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Our stock of Wash Skirts is now complete and the assortment is as large as you will find. All the newest and best materials and the values exceptional. Prices

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New Coats

\$7.50, \$10, \$15

Sample Coats, mostly one of a kind, go on sale Friday at about half actual value. We have also reduced coats from stock to these prices.

SECOND FLOOR

Boys' Blue Serge Suits

FOR FIRST COMMUNION, CONFIRMATION OR GRADUATION

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They're all wool, fast color, well tailored, in the newest three-piece belt models and exceptional values at this price, for when these are gone we can't get any more of like quality to sell under \$7.00.

Plenty of other fast color Blue Serges at \$6.00, \$7.00, \$8.00 and \$10.00.

SPECIAL TODAY

Boys' Two-Pant Mixture Suits \$5.00

An excellent assortment in newest models and wear-resisting fabrics. Two pairs of full lined pants with every suit. Several suits in this lot worth up to \$8.00.

Merrimack Clothing Company

ACROSS FROM CITY HALL

Abington, about 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, aged 53 years. She had been in poor health for some months.

TENDERED LINEN SHOWER
Last evening a delightful linen shower was tendered Miss Eva M. Perrin at the home of Miss Blanche L. Gosselin of 37 Henry avenue when about 30 of her friends gathered and presented the future bride with many beautiful pieces.

The house was prettily decorated with streamers of white and pink and made a very attractive picture. A musical program was carried out by the Misses Alice Bourgeois, Aurora Desjardins, Blanche Gosselin, Olive Perrin, Ella Picard and Eva Perrin. A dainty luncheon was served, and all departed at a late hour, wishing the bride-to-be all happiness in her new state.

INTENDED TO KILL WIFE

Continued

Today in the Peck murder case. The young dentist left the witness stand last night after five hours and forty-five minutes crowded with horrors unparalleled in the history of New York criminal trials. Every detail of his story was noted by the alienists engaged by the defense for use in framing the hypothetical question they will be called to answer before Waite's attorneys ask the jury to decide whether he was mentally responsible when he killed his father-in-law, John E. Peck.

Waite's testimony left the prosecution's attorneys today nothing more to do than proving that he committed murder. Their problem was to show that a monster of crime such as the defendant confessed himself might have been mentally normal and, therefore, a fit subject for the electric chair.

Counsel for the defense said today that they had few if any more questions to ask their client. It was expected that the alienists would take the stand soon after the state finished cross-examining the defendant.

The supreme moment of Waite's tale came last night when the young witness declared in calm conversation, "I killed him."

Tells How He Killed Victims
"Why, I wanted those bacteria to kill these three persons—Mr. Peck, Mrs. Peck and Miss Peck, the maiden aunt. I wanted them to die. I wanted their money."
This attempt to murder three persons, two of whom he sent to their graves, was the climax, Waite showed, of a long career of crime. Without a change of voice or expression to indicate that he recognized the enormity of his confession, he described minutely how he gave his victims arsenic, powdered glass, chloroform, disease germs and over-doses of medicine; how he burned by paper and gave the residue, which he had read contained arsenic, to Mr. Peck; how he generated chlorine gas in the father-in-law's room to make his throat more sensitive to the germ culture; how he damped the sheets in his bed and drove him in a swift automobile with open windows and raised the windows of his room in mid-winter in an unsuccessful effort to give him pneumonia.

Women Excluded
"Women were excluded from the court when Dr. Arthur Warren Waite resumed the witness stand today. Hundreds of persons in the corridors vainly tried to gain admission to the court room."

Waite appeared pale but seemed to have braced himself to face the ordeal. His counsel, Walter R. Deuel, told Justice Shearn that he had only a few more questions to ask the dentist before the cross-examination would begin.

"Did you ever try to kill your wife?" asked Mr. Deuel.
"No," replied Dr. Waite.
"Did you ever plan to kill her?"
"No, never."
"You never thought you might kill

her?"
"I am not sure that I would not have killed her," said Waite.
Asst. Dist. Atty. Brothers then began the cross-examination of Dr. Waite. The attorney first asked the prisoner: "Do you recall telling me that you did not want your wife to learn of your relations with Mrs. Horton?"
"No," replied Waite.

Waite Smiled
Waite folded his arms and smiled at the prosecutor as he denied having any conversation with Mr. Brothers in Dr. Waite's apartment. The dentist said he was surprised to learn that he had given a ring to his nurse. He denied also that he flogged insanity in Bellevue or in the Tombs or that he deliberately planned a false defense or read books on nervous diseases.

Waite declared he did not tell Dist. Atty. Swann and Mr. Brothers while in Bellevue hospital that the "man from Egypt" had killed John E. Peck.

"Not Crazy," Says Waite
"Are you crazy?" asked Mr. Brothers.

"I think not."
"After you took Mr. Peck's life, you could not sleep, could you?"
"I slept perfectly," said Waite.

"You wanted to kill yourself, did you?"
"Yes."
"Why didn't you kill yourself?"

Attempted to Kill Himself
"I made a pretty good attempt at it," replied Waite.

"You planned Peck's death to win \$2,000,000, didn't you?"
"No, not that much."

The prisoner denied that he had schemed to kill John E. Peck as early as last February.
Questions by the prosecution were framed with the evident intent to show that the crimes to which the prisoner had confessed were of a nature that did not call for personal darings.

Waite Made Denial
Waite denied that his evidence yesterday was devised with the purpose of developing a defense of insanity.

Justice Shearn, before whom Waite is being tried, then took up the question and asked him if he knew it was wrong to steal. Waite said he did.

"Then I assume you know, if it was wrong to steal, it was wrong to commit murder?"

Don't Remember
"I don't remember."

"And you were a member of a Christian Endeavor society? You learned it was wrong to take human life and against the laws of God?"

"I don't remember."
Mr. Deuel then resumed re-direct examination. Waite said his memory was not perfect, he supposed, because of drugs. The prisoner identified several letters he wrote in Bellevue hospital, and a poem, saying he had written poetry for several years. He said that when he wrote the poem he suspected that he was charged with murder.

Miss Peck Called
Waite having been permitted to leave the witness stand, Miss Catherine Peck, sister of the late John E. Peck, was next called. Mr. Deuel said he wanted to corroborate by Miss Peck's testimony the statements made by Dr. Waite that he placed ground glass in her marmalade, and germ culture in her glass.

Miss Peck said she was called Waite at what he appeared to be and told of giving her business matters to him to look after. Miss Peck smiled as she recalled her narrow escapes from death.

"I ate some of the marmalade," she said. "When I opened the jar again I found it full of something like sand. I took it back to the store and the proprietor apologized."

After answering other questions in corroboration of Waite's testimony yesterday, Miss Peck was excused.

Dr. Gregory Called
Dr. Menas S. Gregory, head of the psychopathic ward at Bellevue hospital, was called as the first alienist to testify for the defense. He said that while Waite was in Bellevue he asked the physician to intercede for him with the district attorney and also inquired:

"If I should escape the consequences of this act do you think I would make a useful citizen?"

Dr. Gregory said he told the prisoner that he knew that he was doing wrong and the consequences of his acts. The physician declined to intercede.

Intended to Kill Wife
Dr. Morris J. Karpas, formerly of Bellevue hospital, also was called as an alienist for the defense. He said he examined Dr. Waite in the hospital, that he did not appear to be mentally well, and that he was abnormal in that his entire interest was centered upon himself.

"Waite told me," testified Dr. Karpas, "that he intended to kill his wife. He said that he had not intended to stop at anything to gain his ends."

Last Night's Session
Arthur Warren Waite, as coolly as if he were discussing the weather, told the jury in the criminal branch of the supreme court last night how he had caused the death of Mrs. John E. Peck by bacteria, how he had poisoned and then smothered John E. Peck and then how he had tried to kill Miss Catherine Peck, maiden sister of his father-in-law. As he spoke, hardly above a conversational tone, perfectly at his ease, the courtroom, from which women had been excluded after 8 o'clock in the evening, was still as death.

Wearied by the long session, the jurors nevertheless sat bolt upright or leaned forward to catch every word. Assistant District Attorneys Brothers, Dooling and Mancuso, flanked by the state's alienists, sat intent. The men in the courtroom crept to the seats nearest the bar railing, and only Justice Shearn of all the courtroom sat immovable and impassive, gazing straight ahead of him.

Tried to Kill Three
The supreme moment of the man's session on the witness stand came half an hour after the evening session had convened. Then, in reply to the questions of Walter R. Deuel, his counsel, following his confession of attempts to kill Miss Peck, he said in a surprised tone, "Why, I wanted those bacteria to kill those three persons—Mr. Peck, Mrs. Peck and Miss Peck, the maiden aunt."

Then after telling how he had tried to kill Miss Peck, who had befriended him with lavish presents, Mr. Deuel came to a question which held every one.

"Do you remember when Mrs. Peck came to visit you?" he asked.
"Yes, let me see, really I can't remember exactly," Waite hesitated. She and Mrs. Waite came some time in January. I can't remember exactly when."

"Did you give her bacteria?"
"Why, certainly. I got the contents of about six test tubes of the bacilli of diphtheria, pneumonia and influenza, and reduced them to one tube and gave them to her."

"How did you administer this?"
"You see I often brought the food from the kitchen to the dining room, and I would slip the germs in the food or in something else."

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"How often?"
"Oh, I only had to administer them to her once. You see she became ill immediately. They affected her at once. She remained ill for several days, got worse and then got better and finally one night, Saturday, if I remember right, although I won't be sure, I said that I would sit up with her."

"The nurse went home at 7 o'clock and Mrs. Waite was tired. I was to watch her and give her her medicine about every 15 minutes."

"What did you do?"
"Well, I had procured during the day some veronal tablets, about a dozen five-grain tablets, and this I powdered up. When I gave her medicine I slipped this powder in and she took it."

"What did you do then?" There was almost a gasp in the room as the man, shaking his head as if the question were trivial replied: "Why, of course, then I went to sleep."

"So did she," he added a moment later, for when he awakened early in the morning and looked his mother-

THE RIGGS BANK CASE
MOTION OF DEFENSE TO ORDER NOT GUILTY VERDICT OVER- RULED

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Justice Suddons overruled today a motion by counsel for the three officers of the Riggs National bank on trial for perjury that he direct the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty because a perjury charge could not be predicated on a mixed question of law and fact.

The charge arose in connection with an affidavit denying that the bank sold or bought stock and counsel for the defendants argued in support of the motion that questions of sales or purchases were questions of law which could not be decided by a jury.

The defense asked for a directed verdict of not guilty on several other technical points, which were overruled, and it was believed the case would go to the jury late today.

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We wish to express our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their many acts of kindness, words of consolation and beautiful floral offerings received during our recent bereavement.

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Mrs. William G. Brown is the leader of the club women in New York in the protest against prize fighting.

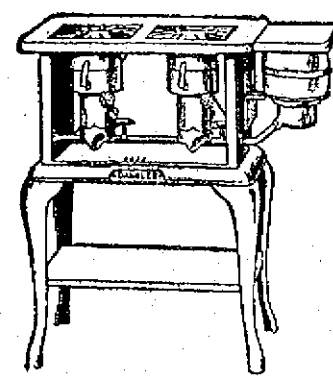
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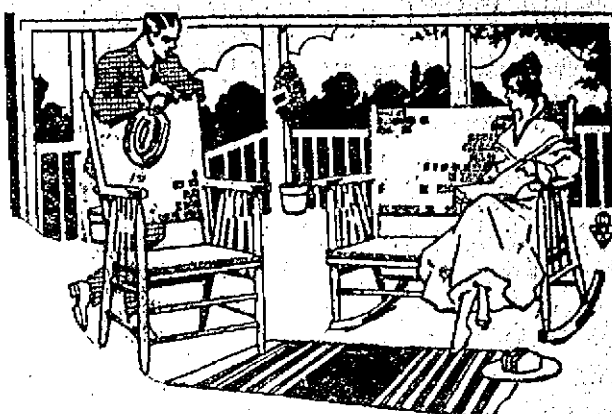
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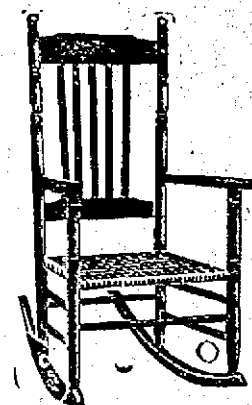


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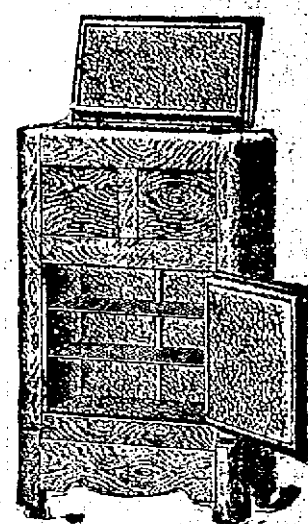
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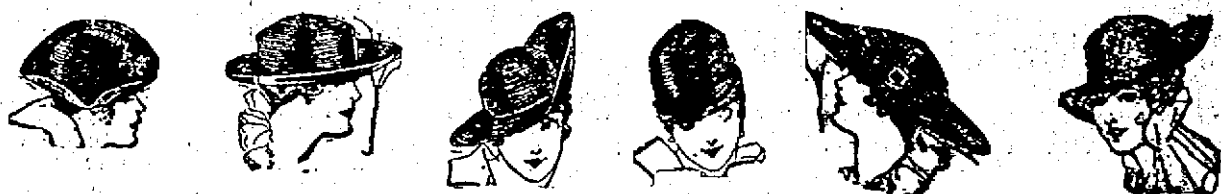
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In-law was dead. After that he waited until the daughter, his wife, made the discovery. Men, even the jurors, who had been to the death house, suddenly realized what the object was. Back of the state's alienists sat the alienists of making suggestions about questions.

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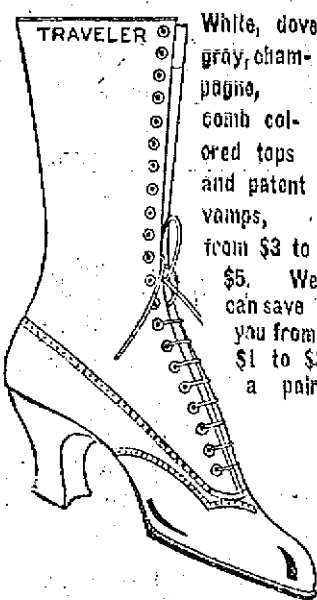
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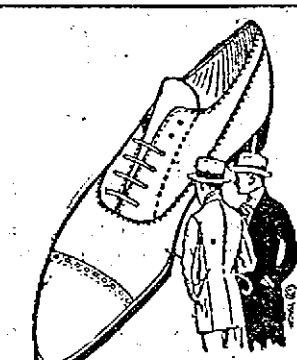


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The new and elaborately appointed dining room of the Harrington hotel was formally dedicated last evening by a dinner given by Proprietor Frank E. Harris to the city government, license commissioners and newspapermen. The guests were most favorably impressed with the appearance, comfort and beauty of the new dining room, while the menu and service were faultless. The new dining room is located in the annex, the property in Middle street recently acquired by Mr. Harris, and is approached from the main dining room over a bridge that spans the passageway in the rear of the hotel building. One would not expect to find so beautiful an interior, in view of the aspect of Middle street, but carpenters and interior decorators have made a wonderful transformation. The room is the largest dining room in the city, and will accommodate over 100 comfortably. At one end is an elevated platform for an orchestra, while around three sides of the room are costly slips, attractive tables filling the center of the room. The furniture is of the latest mission effect. The floor is laid in numerous graceful arches inlaid with numerous dainty incandescent lights. The color effects are red and green. A special kitchen, serving room and bar form a part of the annex, so that guests in the new dining room will be assured of prompt service. The dining room will be opened to the public on next Thursday.

TRIALS FOR BIG MEET

CAMBRIDGE, May 26.—The speed and strength of athletes of highest rank in more than a score of colleges were tested in the Harvard stadium today to determine those most fit to compete in the finals of the Intercollegiate track meet tomorrow. Trials were scheduled for today in 11 of the 13 events of the meeting. The weather was clear and warm with a light breeze.

The meeting, the first of the intercollegiate association, drew entries from Cornell, Leland Stanford, Jr., University of California, University of Michigan, Harvard, Yale, University of Pennsylvania, Dartmouth, Amherst, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Princeton, Colby, Pennsylvania State, Syracuse, Georgetown, New York University, Johns Hopkins, Rutgers, Swarthmore, Brown, Haverford and Lafayette.

Several records on the intercollegiate books were objects of attack and the struggles for place were expected to be keen enough to create new marks. Among those on the field today who have equalled in past performances the intercollegiate records were "Ted" Meredith, Pennsylvania, in the half mile run; Smith, Michigan, and Teschner, Harvard, in the 100-yard dash; Murray Leland Stanford, in the high hurdles; Mader, California, and Oler, Yale, in the high jump; Worthington, Dartmouth, in the broad jump, and Gilder, California, in the hammer throw.

SKATING RACE OPENED

Teams representing four New England states, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut and New Hampshire, started the five night relay race at the Rollaway last evening with a large crowd on the cheering lines. Nebes and Yates of Lowell, skating under Massachusetts colors, captured the honors in the half-hour of skating last evening. The race is decided on points. Nebes and Yates finished first, with 20 points; Pasquale and Hayes of Boston, second, with 18 points; and Murrell of Hartford and McCarthy of Waterbury, third with 13 points. The scoring was carried out under the Berlin system. Tonight and every night until May 30, inclusive, the race will be resumed.

Broderick's Or. tonight, N. Billerica.

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BOSTON, May 26.—Governor McCall, mounted and escorted by his staff in full dress uniform, will ride tomorrow in the great Citizens' Preparedness parade through the streets of Boston. He will go over the route from the start to Park square, and will then return to the reviewing stand in front of the state house from which he will, with Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, U.S.A., commander of the department of the east, review the remainder of the parade. The lieutenant governor, Calvin Coolidge, will represent the governor in the reviewing stand until his arrival.

Governor McCall's staff was yesterday ordered to report on Short Side drive, Charles river embankment, in full dress uniform tomorrow at 12.30 o'clock, and yesterday afternoon the governor went for a practice ride on horseback.

Chief Marshal Buck and his staff were busy yesterday making necessary corrections and changes in the parade roster and finding places for organizations whose enrollment blanks were late in reaching headquarters. Approximately 4500 marchers were added to the list during the day, bringing the total to 104,500 men and women. This figure does not include the staff of aides and orderlies, the bands and drum corps, which will number about 150 with over 3500 musicians, the division of ex-regulars of the army, navy and marine corps, ex-national guardsmen of the army and navy, together with the division of unassigned marchers who are not members of any organization. Many of the organizations which are to march expect to have a larger number in line than was indicated on the enrollment blanks, so that Chief Marshal Buck is prepared to take care of not less than 100,000 marchers. He will endeavor to get into the line every single organization and individual that wishes to take part.

The National Guard of Massachusetts will not be without some representation in the big Preparedness parade, although it is well recognized that the general feeling is that as this is purely a citizens' demonstration many of the militia units should not take part. However, at the request of Mayor Rockwood of Cambridge and the Cambridge board of trade, Col. Graves of the 8th Infantry has given permission for the units of his regiment stationed in the Cambridge armory to participate in the parade as escort to the Cambridge division. These troops, comprising Co. C, Capt. H. Dwight Cushing, Co. E, Capt. James H. McBride, Co. A, Capt. Thomas F. Brown, together with the 6th Co. Coast Artillery corps, also stationed in the armory under the command of Capt. H. Stanley Cushing, will constitute a provisional battalion under command of Major Frank S. Elliott, 8th Infantry, and act as escort to the Cambridge division. The Machine Gun Co., also stationed in the above armory,

will accompany the battalion in full field equipment, including the mules. The men will wear the full field equipment, including blanket rolls, haversacks and all the equipment necessary to take the field as completely equipped fighting units and will give a vivid demonstration of what real preparedness in the National Guard means in the way of equipment and organization.

Col. Graves has been very pleased to co-operate with the wishes of the business industries of Cambridge. In this way and it is hoped that this is only another indication of the mutual cooperation and helpfulness which is being developed in that city between the business industries and the National Guard.

Roy D. Jones, vice president of the American legion, yesterday issued a notice to members of the legion who intend to march that they are to provide themselves with arm bands of crimson ribbon, one and one-half inches wide, which will be worn on the left arm above the elbow.

Over 15 Hours to Pass
Parade experts and dopers put their heads together yesterday and with a little comparison of figures announced that the Citizens' Preparedness parade will take approximately 15 1/2 hours to pass a given point. If the estimated number, 100,000 marchers, turn out.

The New York parade numbered 145,000, marched 24 abreast and took 11 hours to pass the reviewing stand. Boston's demonstration will number 100,000, but will march only 12 abreast, so the mathematicians agree the parade in this city will take more than four hours longer than the Gotham procession.

Route of Parade
Start at Beacon and Arlington streets, state house, School street, Washington street, State street, Broad street, High street, Lincoln street, Kneeland street, Elliot street, Park square, Columbus avenue, Berkeley street, where parade will disband through side streets.

The first hotel school for women in France has just been opened in Paris, where all the branches of hotel service that a woman may undertake will be taught.

Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch, Mrs. Gertrude B. Newell and Miss Agnes Morey, prominent suffragists of New York City, have taken up residences in Kansas so they can vote for president this fall.

Norwich University Also
Suspended 27—Five Freshmen Injured

BURLINGTON, Vt., May 26.—Three members of the sophomore class were expelled and the remainder of the class indefinitely suspended at Norwich university, Northfield, yesterday afternoon after a two-days investigation into a hazing escapade in which five freshmen were maltreated.

The expelled members are Bernard Jacob, Berlin, N. H.; Leonard Hastings Nason, Auburndale, Mass., and A. A. Ogden, Barre, Vt.

Students Were Warned
The reason for this drastic action by the commandant, Col. Ira L. Reeves, is his determination to suppress the custom of hazing at Norwich, which, next to West Point, is the oldest military school in the United States. The students had all been previously warned of the penalty by Col. Reeves.

The freshmen were taken from the

dormitory Monday night to woods a distance from the college and there put through a severe course of stunts in which paddling played a prominent part. The affair reached the ears of Col. Reeves through the townspeople. The indefinite suspension of the sophomore class means that if any of the members desire to be reinstated they may make application, and their cases will be considered individually. It is not known that the expelled men are more guilty than some others, but they were already on probation.

FIRE IN NASHUA

Stables and Milk Depot
Were Burned—Firemen Aided by Militia

NASHUA, N. H., May 26.—A two-alarm fire at 8.50 last night in the residential quarter of the North End drew an immense throng to the scene and inflicted a loss of \$20,000. The stables of Morrill Brothers, truckmen, 29 Norton street, and the milk depot of Walter T. Boyd, 7 Shattuck street, were destroyed with

most of their contents, which included one of Morrill Brothers' auto-trucks and a number of wagons. The horses were saved.

The shop of Fire Commissioner Eugene W. Dunklee and the residences of Allan Parker, Albert D. Melendy, Robert J. Morrill and others caught from sparks but were saved by the firemen aided by soldiers of Co. D, 1st Infantry, Capt. H. N. C. who were called from a drill in the nearby armory, and a large detail of police.

The origin of the fire is a mystery, the neighbors first noticing the blaze when the flames were sweeping through the main Morrill building.

CHILD KILLED BY AUTO
NORTHAMPTON, May 26.—Ruth Strader, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin P. Strader of Arlington avenue, Easthampton, was severely injured by being struck by an automobile last night on Pleasant street, in that town, that she died a few minutes after.

The automobile was driven by Miss Eva Lapanne. The little girl attempted to run across the street in front of the automobile.

Dance with the Chippewas tonight.

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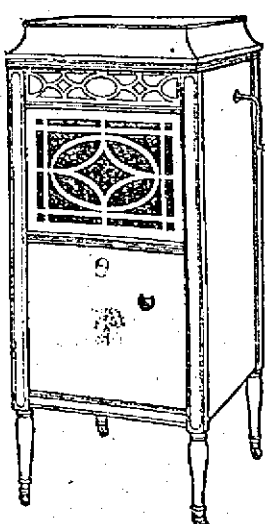
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KING GEORGE SIGNS BILL

COMPULSORY MILITARY SERVICE
—ALL MALES BETWEEN 18 AND 41 ARE CALLED TO COLORS

LONDON, May 25.—The signature of King George was today affixed to the military service bill recently passed by parliament.

The military service bill, or, as it is better known, "the compulsion bill," was introduced in the house of commons, May 3, as a result of the failure of voluntary enlistments to reach the total, the government considered necessary. There was much agitation for and against the measure. The bill provides for general and immediate compulsion, and calls to the colors all males, married or single, between the ages of 18 and 41. An army reserve for industrial work is also provided for in the bill, and the government may use as many of the conscripts as it requires to maintain industrial conditions intact. Ireland is excluded from the operation of the law.

MISS RAMSAY DEFENDS TITLE
BROOKLINE, May 25.—Miss Vera Ramsay, playing from the Salem Golf club successfully defended her title to the Boston Women's Golf association championship today by defeating Miss Eleanor W. Allen 3 and 2 in the final match of the annual tournament. The match was squared at the 12th hole. The 13th was halved, but after that Miss Allen weakened and the champion won the next three.

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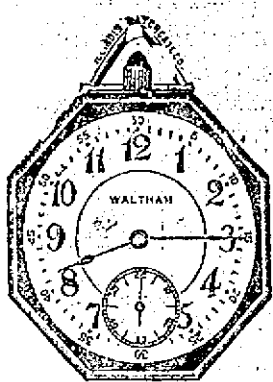
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EACH TAXED \$150—BATON ROUGE, LA., JUDGE APPROVES SUCH FIGHTS

BATON ROUGE, La., May 25.—Adj. Gen. McNeese and A. D. Stewart, a prominent New Orleans hotel man, each paid a \$150 fine in the city court yesterday for their pre-arranged fist fight on the Capitol lawn Wednesday which they designated "an affair of honor."

Judge Odum, in imposing the fine, said: "Personally, I approve of this method of settling a difficulty between gentlemen, but it is against the law and I will have to fine you."

ROBERT FAY GETS STAY

FORMER LIEUTENANT IN GERMAN ARMY GRANTED STAY OF ONE WEEK

NEW YORK, May 25.—Robert Fay, former lieutenant in the German army, who was recently sentenced to serve eight years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta for plotting to blow up vessels carrying munitions to the entente allies, was today granted a stay of one week before starting for Atlanta.

TEXTILE OPERATIVES

BOSTON, May 25.—The National Amalgamation of Textile Operatives today voted to retain its temporary constitution and by-laws with a few perfecting amendments. Election of officers was set for tomorrow.

The present officials headed by Jas. Tansey of Fall River as president, who are serving under a temporary organization, probably will be retained.

The matter of supporting the strike of loomfixers at the Pacific mills in Lawrence was introduced at today's

session, but action was postponed until later. Speakers said the strikers had not shared equally with other operatives in the recent advance, and urged that the amalgamation stand behind them.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Spence and family are stopping at Bretton hall, New York.

Memorial exercises will be held at the Colburn school on Monday afternoon by the students of the ninth grade. The following program has been prepared by Principal Sheehan: Salute to the flag; recitation, "The Flag Goes By"; chorus, "Stand by the Flag"; recitation, "Gettysburg Address"; recitation, "Get the Flag"; chorus, "Columbia"; address, Commander J. H. Caverley of Post 155, G.A.R.; finale, "America."

DALLAS, TEX., SELECTED ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 25.—Dallas, Tex., was selected today as the place of meeting of the 1917 general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America.

MERRIMACK SQ. THEATRE

These are the last two days

"DEFENSE OR TRIBUTE"

Marjorie Sterrett's great Battleship Picture.

GEORGE BEBAN in "PASQUALE"

Chaplin Comedy and Other Plays

CANOBIE LAKE PARK

Opens for the Season

SUNDAY, MAY 28

Band Concert

3 to 5 P. M.

Haverhill Military Band

35 Pieces

Especially Augmented for the Occasion.

Mr. Herbert W. W. Downs, Director

ALL ATTRACTIONS OPEN

Half Hour Time on All Lines to the Park.

BAND CONCERTS

—AT—

LAKEVIEW PARK

SUNDAY, MAY 28, 1916

6th. REGIMENT BAND

Z. L. Bissonnette, Conductor

Afternoon, 3 to 5

MAY PARTY AND DANCE

by the Ladies Auxiliary A.O.H. in

HIBERNIAN HALL, MONDAY EVE.

May 29, 1916 (Eve of Holiday)

Admission 25 cts. Pay at the door.

Music: Sheehan's Orchestra.

Coupon tickets will be drawn off at this party.



TODAY
THEDA BARA
in "GOLD AND THE WOMAN"
Other Pdays. Usual Prices.



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Eastern League

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VS.

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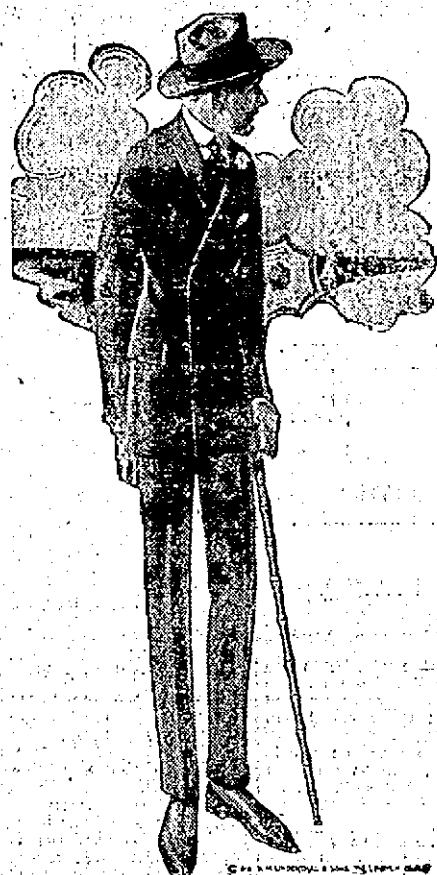
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JEWEL THEATRE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

"THE CRAVING"

With William Russell. A five-act Mutual Picture. Also "Legs of the Ring." Many others.

Macartney's
Anniversary
Sale
Ends Tomorrow

A sale that has surpassed even the highest expectations, made hundreds of new customers and clearly demonstrated our greater value giving power.

Dress Up for the 30th and Save Money.

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Suits in broken sizes, \$7.87
\$10 and \$12.50
\$12.50 and \$15.00 \$9.87
Suits \$9.87
\$15.00 and \$18.00 \$12.37
Suits \$12.37
\$15, \$18, \$20 Suits, \$14.87
a large showing,

Odd Lots Highest Priced Suits \$16.93

\$8.50 and \$9.00 SUITS \$7.87

BOYS' APPAREL

\$3.00 and \$3.50 SUITS \$2.37
\$5.00 and \$6.00 SUITS \$3.87
\$7.00 and \$7.50 SUITS \$5.87

HOSIERY, HATS and CAPS MARKED DOWN

Get Your Straw Here
\$2.00 and \$2.50 \$1.85
Straws
Others \$1.00, \$1.50, \$3.00

BOYS' REEFERS AT ANNIVERSARY PRICES

Our birthday party will be over Saturday evening, then we start on our 8th year, increasing and building, striving each day to serve our customers better.

FURNISHINGS

SHIRTS

50c Negligee 39c
70c Soft Cuffs 55c
2 for \$1.00
\$1.00 Negligee or Soft Cuffs 69c
3 for \$2.00
\$1.00 Outing Shirts 69c
3 for \$2.00
\$1.50 Soft Cuffs \$1.15
3 for \$3.00

UNDERWEAR

SHIRTS AND DRAWERS

25c Balbriggan 19c
39c Balbriggan 29c
50c Athletic Undershirt 37c
\$1.00 Silk Athletic 69c

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

PEERLESS UNIONS 69c, 95c, \$1.55

MACARTNEY'S

"Apparel Shop"

72 Merrimack St.

VON JAGOW TAKES BLAME

BERLIN, May 25, via London, May 25.—The United States played a large role in the censorship debate in the reichstag today. Two of the principal speakers, Deputy Oertel, conservative and Deputy Hirsch, national liberal, severely criticized the government for measures which they alleged were adopted to suppress the criticism of the United States in the newspapers and to put brakes on the agitation for a more vigorous submarine campaign.

Deputy Oertel, who is editor of the Deutsche Tages Zeitung, attacked the authorities vigorously for their attempt to suppress the gigantic petition gotten up by Prof. Dietrich Schaefer of Berlin university against Germany yielding to the demands of the United States. Deputy Oertel also attacked the government for the censorship which had been exercised over editorial comment on the American note and for prohibiting the republication of an anti-American article written by the conservative leader Heydebrand.

Foreign Minister von Jagow, in reply, declared emphatically that both the military and political authorities had agreed that negotiations with America must not be impeded by press comment. The minister said that a temperamental article, such as that of Heydebrand would certainly have stirred up public feeling, and that he, therefore, accepted full responsibility for its suppression.

Deputy Hirsch resumed the floor after Minister von Jagow had concluded. He reiterated the complaints made by Deputy Oertel and, alluding to the possibility of American mediation, declared it would be impossible to accept the good offices of "an ostensible neutral who soiled its hands with blood by using its best efforts to prolong the war."

Deputy Hirsch concluded by asserting that all parties, both of the right and left are in accord in their criticism of the political censorship.

U. S. PROTEST TO ALLIES

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The American note to Great Britain and France regarding interference with neutral mail will be given out here for publication tomorrow morning. Resumes of the communication have been cabled to London and Paris by the British and French ambassadors, to whom it was handed, and the complete text is being forwarded by mail.

WIDOWS OF MINISTERS

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conferences to which only clergy are now eligible, will be submitted to the several churches for a referendum vote during the next four years. If a report offered by the same committee is adopted.

Mrs. Corinne Rider-Kesley receives a salary of \$5000 a year as a church choir singer.

Dr. Anna Shaw, who was injured while alighting from a Pullman car, has sued the company for \$25,000.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LADIES!

Here is Your Chance

SAVE MONEY BY BUYING YOUR SUIT HERE FOR DECORATION DAY

We are closing out our present line of Women's Suits and have purposely chosen to do so at this particular time so that you and everyone who wishes to save money can secure a suit to wear on Decoration Day at a mighty big reduction.

Bear in mind the fact that this is a CREDIT SALE, not a cash sale. The same liberal terms of credit which you have obtained on your purchases here in the past are extended to you during this big money saving sale.

Here are some of the astonishingly low reductions we are making on our high grade stock of Women's Suits:

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Come in at once. Don't delay. Get some of these bargains. Remember that you can pay for your purchase in \$1.00 weekly payments.

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WOMAN HAILED TO COURT
Continued

by Inspector Martin Maher and the defendant, she is employed as a waitress in a restaurant in Lawrence street. Last Saturday Alice Mahoney entered the restaurant and after finishing her meal left a pocketbook containing \$200 on the table. The Dole girl, it is alleged, turned the pocketbook over to the proprietor of the restaurant. That night as she was leaving for home she said the proprietor called her aside and giving her \$10 said: "That's to keep your mouth shut. If anyone asks you about the pocketbook say you don't know anything."

The court after listening to the testimony in the case said she was going to be lenient with the girl for she did the right thing by turning the money over to the proprietor, but she made a mistake by taking the money which was offered her knowing that it had been stolen. He placed her on probation for two weeks on condition that she pay back the money to the owner. Why the man who pocketed the \$100 was not brought in caused considerable comment. The court was displeased at the aspect of the case.

Excitement on the "Front Row"

The quietness of that portion of Dutton street near the Merrimack mills known as the "Front Row" was rudely interrupted about 2.30 o'clock this morning when Dennis Mahoney, while under the influence of liquor, went on the rampage and assaulted his wife and one James Brennan, Mahoney and his wife have had more or less trouble and the former was released from jail two weeks ago after serving several months' sentence for neglecting his children. Mrs. Mahoney who works every day, met her husband on the street and when he said he was down and out and did not know where he could sleep or get anything to eat she took pity on him and took him to her home at 10 Dutton street.

Last night, some time after 11 o'clock, Mahoney went to Brennan's room and invited Brennan to come upstairs as he had some liquor. Brennan also had a wee bit in a bottle and both repaired to Mahoney's room where they drank until the small hours of the morning.

About 2.30 o'clock Mahoney suddenly arose from the bed on which he was lying and picking up a water pitcher smashed it over Brennan's head and then he started to beat his wife. The occupants of the house were awakened by the commotion and one of them ran into the street and found Patrolman Illi and Special Officer Fulton of the Merrimack company. They found the three in an attic room, Mrs. Mahoney and Brennan being covered with blood. All three were sent to the police station where they were charged with drunkenness.

In court this morning Mahoney and his wife entered a plea of not guilty but Brennan pleaded guilty to drunkenness and after the latter had told his story Judge Enright told Deputy Downey to make out a complaint against Mahoney for assault and battery on Brennan.

After the cases were heard Mahoney

Chester A. Conant

BRADLEY BLDG. ROOM 211 147 CENTRAL ST.

SPECIAL SALE—SUITS and COATS

SUITS	SUITS	SUITS
\$5.00	\$8.75	\$6.75
\$12.50 Value	\$18, \$20 Values	\$12.98 Value
COATS	COATS	COATS
\$4.75	\$9.75	\$7.75
\$8 Value	\$15 Value	\$10 Value

OPEN FRIDAY EVENING

\$3.00 Silk Waist... \$1.95 | \$1.50 New Waists... 95c

was sentenced to three months in jail. Mrs. Mahoney's case was continued for three months and Brennan's case was placed on file.

Larceny Case

Stanley Matchum was charged with the larceny of a coat and vest valued at \$12 from the Talbot Clothing Co. At the request of counsel for the defense the case was continued until Monday.

An Alleged Panhandler

As a result of what Judge Enright saw while passing through Middlesex street on his way to the depot yesterday morning, James Thompson, a stranger in Lowell, was arrested and this morning was charged with drunkenness. As the judge was passing through the street he saw Thompson following a man and the latter was evidently trying to get away from him. Seeing Patrolman Noonan, Judge Enright told him of the man's actions and when the officer questioned the man who was trying to get away from Thompson, the former said Thompson was trying to get money from him. Thompson admitted that he was drunk but said he was not trying to get money. "How long will it take you to get out of the city?" asked Judge Enright. "About ten minutes," answered Thompson. "I'll give you one hour," said the court. "Get out of town and stay out." And he went.

Other Offenders

Austin Gilday was arrested on the 4th of March for drunkenness and bailed out. He failed to put in an appearance the following day and had

not been seen until yesterday when he was arrested for drunkenness. He was found guilty this morning and will spend the next three months in jail.

John J. Ducey who was on parole from the state farm, will be returned to that institution. Miles F. Ralls was sentenced to 15 days in jail.

MATRIMONIAL

A pretty marriage took place Monday evening when Mr. John Feeney and Miss Anna Fitzgerald were married by Rev. P. L. Crayton at St. Peter's rectory. The bride was Miss Sarah V. Feeney, sister of the bridegroom, and Mr. Martin J. Quinn was the best man. The bride wore white net over white messaline, a picture hat and carried bridal roses. The bridesmaid was attired in blue crepe de chine with picture hat to match and carried carnations. The bride's gift to the bridesmaid was a gold bracelet and the best man was presented with a pair of gold cuff links by the bridegroom. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the new home of the married couple, 35 Cedar street, at which 100 relatives and friends were present. A wedding supper was served and the house was prettily decorated with sweet peas, carnations and ferns. Daley's orchestra furnished music for dancing throughout the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Feeney were the recipients of many beautiful gifts, including many pieces of cut glass and silver. The happy couple left on the 9.45 train for Washington and Philadelphia, and will be at home after August 1st at 35 Cedar street.



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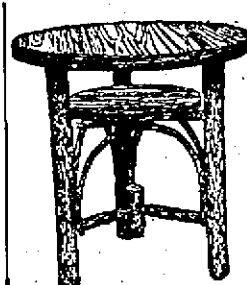
50 Folding Army Cots

(Like Cut)

\$3.00 Each

Alaska Ice Cream Freezers

1 Quart	\$1.50
2 Quart	\$1.75
3 Quart	\$2.25
4 Quart	\$2.50
6 Quart	\$3.25



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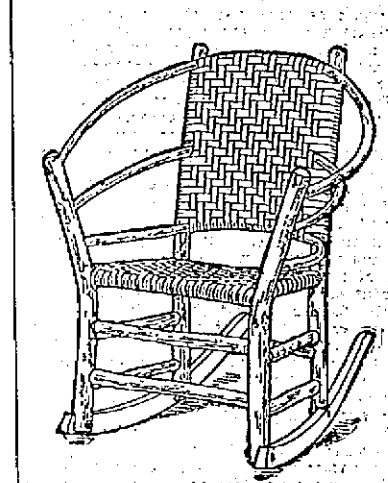
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Child's Safety Cribs



\$10.00 Value \$8.00

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Chairs and Rockers, \$4.00 to \$8.00

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WOMEN'S AND MISSES' \$13.75
\$20.00, \$25.00, \$30.00 SUITS
Regardless of cost

All High Grade Suits Surpassing Any Values Offered This Season.

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—35— \$11.75
\$18 and \$20 SUITS
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A fine collection of all wool materials and very attractive styles.

Values up to \$10.00. Snappy styles in all the latest colorings.

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600 BEAUTIFUL WAISTS \$1.69

In all sizes. Values up to \$1.98.

In tub silk and voiles. Values up to \$2.98

NEWS FROM CITY HALL

Continued

office today to offer his congratulations. The captain was busily engaged in attending to the duties of his office. "Yes," he said, "I am 73 years young today."

"Seventy-three years young is right," said his fair assistant who was going over the records to find how many of the old guard who had, since May 30, 1915, joined the "innumerable caravan which moves to that mysterious realm, where each shall take his chamber in the silent halls of death." The captain had received a postal card from Richard R. Flynn, the commissioner of state aid, with headquarters at the state house. The postal read: Cheer up! I'm no spring chicken, myself. Birthday greeting from Richard R. Flynn.

"It's nice to be remembered," said the captain, whose eyes gleamed with the pleasure he felt in receiving the postal, and he was about to say something real nice about Mr. Flynn, when a messenger entered with the following congratulatory note from His Honor, the mayor:

May 26, 1916.
Capt. George E. Worthen,
State Aid Department,
City Hall.

My Dear Captain: Permit me to tender you my congratulations and best wishes on your 73d birthday.

I cannot allow the occasion to pass without giving expression to my ap-



DAILY, SEASONABLE SPECIALTIES

Strawberry Shortcake

Rhubarb Pie

RAISIN BREAD

The old fashioned kind, a loaf 10c

JOHNSTON'S BAKERY

131 Gorham St.

proclamation of the valuable and efficient service that you have given the city, as sup't. of state aid, and I am confident that every attaché of city hall, will join with me in the sincere hope that the city will continue to have your services for many years to come.

Respectfully,
James E. O'Donnell,
Mayor of Lowell.

That Water Leak

The leak in the sand filters connected with the filtration plant at the boulevard has not yet been mended, but the contractor, Mr. Gow, promised that he would have a man here next Tuesday. The department is still waiting to hear from or see Mr. Gow's man. It is expected that he will arrive here Monday. Mr. Gow has been here and has said that the work of repairing the leaks in the collecting pipes in the bottom of the sand filters will not amount to much. He said the joints where the leaks occur could be very easily tightened, but the city, in the meantime, is waiting for sand filtered water and that will not be obtainable until the leaks have been repaired. The general feeling is that no time should be lost in repairing the leaks.

The new Holly pump at the boulevard pumping station underwent an official test some time ago and Engineer Harbour, who was the city's representative during the test, has reported that the pump met all requirements. In his letter to the commissioner relative to the test, Mr. Harbour states that the pump exceeded the duty guaranteed by the contractor and just for that the Holly Mfg. Co. will be paid in full on the 15th day of next month.

The Dartmouth Bridge

At the hearing before the harbor and land commission at the state house yesterday, Rep. Lewis, as was stated in yesterday's Sun, opposed the adoption of new plans. After Mr. Lewis was heard, the chairman asked the mayor if he had anything to say with regard to Mr. Lewis' statement. Mr. Lewis had spoken about extra money having been borrowed for the construction of the bridge. The mayor said no extra money had been borrowed, but that at the time the \$80,000 was borrowed no official figures were given as to what the bridge would cost. The \$50,000 was simply a guess and related only to the bridge proper. It did not include the approach to the bridge and neither did it include the bridge across the canal. The mayor said that at the time the \$80,000 was borrowed it was known that a larger amount would be necessary before the contract could be let. He said that the present city government didn't borrow any extra money, but enough money to do the work. He also called attention to the fact that the project had the unanimous support of the members of the city government, and that a law had been passed by the United States government authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Merrimack river at Dartmouth falls.

After the mayor had finished Mr. Lewis said he was not opposed to the bridge, but that he did not believe it was necessary to get any further authority from the harbor and land com-

mission. W. T. S. Bartlett was the only one to appear in opposition.

Would Be Chauffeurs

Forty applicants for chauffeurs' licenses took the weekly examination at city hall this forenoon. The examinations are conducted by the Massachusetts highway commission and the examiners today were Messrs. McConnell, Olson and Lathrop.

Hearings This Evening

Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways, will give hearings on street and sewer petitions at city hall this evening. The hearings will be held in the aldermanic chamber beginning at 7.30 o'clock. There are 24 petitions in all.

TO TAKE UP REVENUE QUESTION

WASHINGTON, May 26—The whole revenue question will be taken up Monday by democratic members of the

house ways and means committee, under a call issued today. They already have informally discussed the prospects and drawn up a tentative bill, which will be reviewed next week. When the bill is perfected, it will be laid before the republican members and then reported to the house.

The bulk of the revenue to be raised under the general bill, which will include provision for a non-partisan tariff commission, will be sought through the income tax, an inheritance tax and a tax on war munition manufactures.

ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN DEAD
LONDON, May 26—The Most Rev. Joseph Ferguson Peacock, archbishop of Dublin from 1897 to 1915, died today. He was born in Queens county, Ireland, in 1835.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.



THE UNDERWEAR EVENT OF THE SEASON

756 High Grade Peerless Union Suits, made sleeveless, short, or long sleeves; short, 3/4 or ankle lengths; in fine combed Egyptian cotton, lisle thread or mercerized silk. These high grade union suits are to be sold at about half price.
\$1.00 and \$1.50 Peerless Union Suits 69c
\$1.50 and \$2.00 Peerless Union Suits 95c
\$2.00 and \$3.00 Peerless Union Suits \$1.55

"THE REASON"

This lot is composed of drummers' samples. Some are slightly soiled, others have slight imperfections, but every garment is guaranteed to give satisfactory service. This lot goes on sale Saturday, at

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The Home of 10c Collars
72 MERRIMACK ST.

LIEUT. RICHARDS KILLED

COMMANDER OF U. S. DESTROYER
ER KILLED BY ELECTRIC
SHOCK AT SAG HARBOR

SAG HARBOR, L. I., May 26.—Lieut. Clarence Alvin Richards, commander of the United States destroyer Fanning, was instantly killed by an electric shock in the station of the Sag Harbor Light and Power Co. here early today. Harry D. Christian, night watchman at the station, said it appeared to him that the lieutenant deliberately committed suicide by taking hold of two wires heavily charged with electricity.

The Fanning was one of a fleet of war vessels which had been maneuvering in Gardiner's Bay and which has made its headquarters here. Many of the men from the fleet were ashore last night but most of them returned to their vessels, which were under orders to leave for Newport at 3 a. m.

Christian said Lieut. Richards came to the power station two hours before the fleet was to sail and said he was a government inspector. He pushed Christian aside and walking into the station, picked up two wires, receiving the shock which killed him.

The Fanning sailed for Newport with the other vessels. Lieut. Richards was appointed to the navy from Kansas and was 34 years old.

FROM A REAL FISHERMAN

JERRY HARRINGTON SAYS SIMON
H. HARRIS AND WILLIS S. HOLT
NEVER SAW REAL FISHING

"Jerry" Harrington, the man who looks after the switchboard at the central fire station, says it makes him laugh to hear and read what some of the would-be fishermen in and about Lowell have to say about their catches and their success in hooking the denizens of the deep. Jerry says that Pres. Harris and Secretary Holt of the Lowell Fish and Game association mean all right and that the local association is doing a whole lot of good, but he says Simon B. and Willis S. have never seen any real fishing.

"When those fellows go after tuna, sword fish and some of the other big fellows," said Jerry, "they will have some license to talk about fishing. And as a matter of fact I don't believe either of them ever caught a fish. I've caught a trout or a woolly perch. I've done a little fishing myself, but I'm not boasting about it and before these fellows around here have much more to say about fish they had better take a trip to the Maritime provinces, and see what fish is fish. I've seen trained codfish and chokelass herring in Antigonish.

"But what I had in mind in the beginning was to tell about a tuna, which is nothing more nor less than the old-fashioned horse mackerel. You know that what the doctors call appendicitis now used to be inflammation of the bowels, and its the same with the names of fish.

"I was sitting in the hotel office in Halifax one day, while on vacation, when a fellow came in and announced that he had taken the biggest fish ever tripped by a rod. He said it was a tuna fish, and I never saw a man so delighted in all my life. He had just finished a hotel in some small summer place outside of Halifax and he was trying to think of a name for it. In fact he said he went fishing just for the purpose of thinking up a name for the good name for his hotel, and before he landed the tuna he thought of a name. He called it Tuna Inn.

"This is some story that I am giving you, Mister. I asked the fellow what kind of tackle he used and he said he used steel cable. Then I asked him about bait. 'Well,' he said, 'we use herring for bait—whole herring. You know we use a 16-ounce rod and a whale destroyer or B-ocean reel, and piano wire traps.'

"I'll bet Simon B. Harris nor Willis S. Holt don't know what a trace is. I didn't until I met the fellow who caught the tuna. The traces are the wires connecting the line and the hook. They use a hook about three inches long, a round hook. When he caught the tuna he used a 16-ounce rod and a whale destroyer or B-ocean reel, and 150 yards of 39-thread, spliced to 75 yards of 35.

Some Flat, Indeed

"The fish tipped the scales at 710 pounds. It was 10 feet 4 inches long and had a girth of 11 feet.

"Considerable fish," opined a fellow who was sitting near me.

"Yes, quite a fish," agreed the angler. "Biggest fish ever caught with a rod. Well, sir, I threw out my line and it no longer struck the water than

HEALTH.

Taunton, Mass.—"The Favorite Prescription has done wonders for me and for my family. I seemed to be going into a decline. My friends were terribly worried about me, and my sister insisted on my taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It was miraculous in its results and I have been an unusually healthy woman ever since.

"I cannot say enough in praise of this medicine and am always glad to recommend it."—Mrs. Lillian E. MacAdam, 29 Smith St., Taunton, Mass.

A pretty face is the result of a healthy physical condition. "Beauty is but skin deep," yet it greatly depends on a clear complexion, free from wrinkles and hollow cheeks.

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It is prepared from nature's roots and herbs, and does not contain a particle of alcohol or any narcotic. It's not a secret prescription for its ingredients are printed on the wrapper.

Women are earnestly advised to take it for irregular or painful periods, backache, headache, displacement, catarrhal condition, hot flashes, yellow complexion and nervousness.

Write Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for free 136-page book on woman's diseases or send 10c for large trial package of "Favorite Prescription" tablets. The sluggish liver can be cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Rheumatism, costed tongue, bad breath, are all cleared up and banished by the use of these tiny sugar-coated granules.



INVITING THE MEN AND WOMEN OF LOWELL TO THE OPENING TOMORROW, SATURDAY OF

WALKER'S SPECIALTY SHOE STORE

AT 185 CENTRAL STREET, BRADLEY BUILDING

In opening one of the Walker Specialty Shoe Stores in Lowell, we do not make claims to do the impossible, we do not claim to be able to give gold for copper or diamonds for glass, we do not claim to sell shoes for less money than they can be manufactured. We do claim, and we will stand firmly back of this assertion, that we will give you the best shoe value for the money possible. We will go even further. We claim that our method of specialization will give you the best possible shoe value that you have been able to secure anywhere outside of a Walker store. We feature

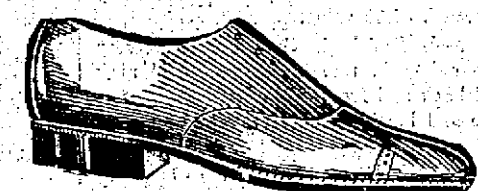
\$3 Shoes for Men and Women

With a Select Line of \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes that are Marvels

Have you ever thought over the advantages to the consumer of a system of stores and a method of specialization? If in one hundred Walker stores only \$1.00 profit is made each day in each store, do you realize that it means a profit of \$600 per week and \$31,200 per year on the combined 100 stores? Now add to this the specialization of one price shoes, of securing one factory to place all their energy into one line, to give this their undivided attention, and you get a combination that cannot be equaled. You can appreciate what little profit is needed.

THE ABOVE IS LOGICAL AND WILL APPEAL TO ANY PERSON WHO GIVES THE PURCHASE OF HIS SHOES AND THEIR PRICE AND VALUE ANY THOUGHT.

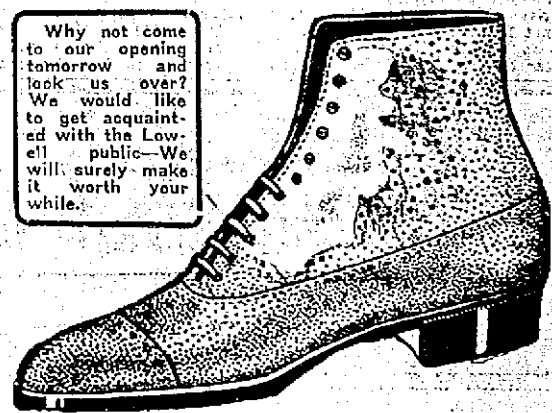
WALKER'S Specialty Shoe Store



185 Central Street—185

BRADLEY BUILDING

Why not come to our opening tomorrow and look us over? We would like to get acquainted with the Lowell public. We will surely make it worth your while.



WHAT THE COOK SAYS

Cook says she always keeps soup stock on hand and from this as a foundation makes all of her soups. To make a strong stock, use less than one quart of water to each pound of raw meat. Left-over meat can be added to meat. Left-over sausage, cold ham or corned beef and lean bacon.

Take a shin bone with meat on it weighing 3½ pounds and one pound of lean, veal, chopped. Have shin bone cracked. Put meat into large kettle with five quarts of cold water, let stand on side of range for about two hours to draw juice from meat, then bring to boiling point. Now put where it will gently simmer until done, about four hours. Never let it boil hard during the whole time.

When stock is done, put into a stone crock and add about one tablespoon salt, pepper to taste. If there is not enough salt, you can add more when you use it. Put in a cold place, and the next day take off fat, which you can use for soap or put in drippings.

Strain, and then a second time through a cheesecloth, so it will be nice and clear. Return to your crock in a cool place. The stock should not be boiled long in reheating, as this spoils it somewhat.

Cook says to save all sausage fats, ham and boiled beef until you have a five-pound pail, then put in a kettle as large as you can, add to it the same amount of water or double the amount if you can, put on the stove and let it boil five or ten minutes. Set away until the next day. Then turn out the water and add as much more, and boil the same way again. Repeat it twice more. The third time, the water will be most clear. Then set the fat on the stove, slice in a raw potato, let it boil, and skim all that rises to the top and you have fat that you can use to fry doughnuts in or any use you wish.

When making cookies roll dough in large sheet and bake in large pan. Score it in squares or triangles, and when cool break off neatly. Use tooth-

picks to bind chicken together when stuffing and wind them with a string.

When cooked remove toothpicks. For soup making put vegetables through meat chopper. They cook quicker and make better soup.

Always pour boiling water over fruit and let stand 10 minutes for easy peeling.

No matter how careful one may be, kitchen walls will get covered with spots and dust. They should be wiped down as soon as they take on that dingy look that one sees so often. Cook suggests that you try this method.

Take dry cooking soda in a clean bowl, wet a sponge or cloth with clean water then take up as much soda as will cling to your cloth and wash your walls. Don't use any soap. Rinse wall

off with clear water and go over it with a dry cloth.

The same method is used to clean white iron bedsteads.

With the coming of spring and summer the use of salads and green should be increased, and a salad or greens should be served at least once a day at every table.

There need be very little waste in the use of lettuce and other greens and many housewives add them to vegetable soup.

But it is quite possible to make good use of them by cutting them carefully into strips with a silver knife, when they are too broken. Thus, they may be used as the foundation for a meat salad or as garnishings for beefsteak or other broiled meat.

Cook says that the addition of something different always adds zest to the appetite. Grate an apple into your horseshadish and you will have as fine a relish as you could possibly wish, also adding a pinch of ground cloves to a cup of tea.

See what a difference a little almond extract makes when added to pineapple. Combine coffee and chocolate for a change. Use a slice of orange in place of the usual slice of lemon for afternoon tea. Use a teaspoon of vanilla in hot chocolate. Rub brown sugar over a slice of ham before cooking. Use sliced apple and tender uncooked rhubarb for a spring salad.

Try Tarragon vinegar for a spring salad. See how pleasing a little rose extract is when blended with vanilla in cornstarch pudding.

Mrs. Clara S. Lamb is the only woman recruiting officer in Canada, and clad in military uniform she has charge of a recruiting office in Ontario.

FIRE ON BRIDGE STREET

PROMPT RESPONSE OF FIRE
DEPARTMENT SAVED THE
STRUCTURE

An alarm from box 6 at 8 o'clock this morning summoned a portion of the fire department to a lively blaze in the cellar of an old barn in the rear of 322 Bridge street. The blaze was confined to the rubbish in the cellar and but little damage was done to the building. But for the timely discovery of the fire, however, the fire would have been more serious for there are several wooden structures within a few feet of the barn.

The cellar of the barn was filled with papers and old rubbish and it is thought that some children who were playing in the vicinity probably threw a lighted match into the cellar. Owing to the narrow passageway between the barn and other buildings the firemen experienced a little difficulty in getting at the centre of the blaze. The building is owned by John H. Farrell.

BRANDEIS VOTE TOMORROW
WASHINGTON, May 26.—By unanimous consent, action on the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis to the supreme court was postponed by the senate yesterday at its executive session. Senators opposed to confirmation desired additional time in which to determine on their course. With the understanding that opposition senators would reach a decision, and with the hope that the brief postponement might result in an immediate vote on confirmation without debate, either in executive or open session, friends of Mr. Brandeis consented to the matter going over until tomorrow.

The Russian army has many Jean de Arca.



The Graham Cracker with the Delicious Taste

N. B. C. Graham Crackers are incomparably the finest flavored of graham crackers. Thanks to our careful selection of grain and thorough preparation, we get just the right proportion of elements to make a wholesome biscuit and one that is the most palatable and appetizing of its kind. Try N. B. C. Graham Crackers for their delicious nut-like flavor and flaky crispness. Use them regularly at meals and between meals, because they are as digestible as they are nourishing.

5c AND 10c Packages

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY



One bad tooth in the mouth is like a bad apple in a barrel—it spoils the others. Get it fixed—Snap-A-Minut makes the operation easy.

DR. GAGNON

AND ASSOCIATES
129 Merrimack St. Next to Five Cent Savings Bank.
408 Merrimack St., Opp. Tilden Street.

Black nylon re-enforced with black taffeta is the material used for this quaint gown. The five skirt flounces are made bouffant, with taffeta pipings, and shoulder strapping of taffeta over white georgette crepe under nylon give the simple waist. The only other trimming is a few-elled Russian cross.

TALE OF MEXICAN STRIFE

Former United States Consul
Thinks That U. S. Troops Will
Never Catch Villa

Members of the Teachers' organization were splendidly entertained in high school hall last evening by Edward H. Thompson, archaeologist, who gave an illustrated talk on Mexico. Mr. Thompson was for 25 years United States consul in southern Mexico. He talked interestingly of the country and its men. Mr. Thompson does not believe the report that there are 1000 Yaqui Indians dogging United States troops to attack them. He says they are friends of Obregon and if following at all he thinks they are following to help, not with hostile intent.

Asked where Villa is supposed to be, Mr. Thompson said he is supposed to be in a great many different places. He gave as his opinion, however, that Villa is in the northeast portion of Durango, in that portion where the Carranza troops have no power. He was there when Porfirio Diaz was looking for him and Mr. Thompson allowed if Diaz couldn't get him the United States troops are not very apt to discover him.

Asked if he thought it was well for the United States to interfere in Mexico, the speaker said it would have been all right had we been more energetic about it in the first place. "If we had followed Villa up immediately," he said, "we would undoubtedly have caught him for he had to pass through a section where the Indians were hostile to him. We halted several days just at the wrong time. Villa had gotten out of the territory of his enemies, and into that of his friends, where he has a wife in every village, whose relatives will protect him. I doubt if we ever get him."

Government of Mexico
Mr. Thompson gave some important facts about the government of Mexico, which he says is supposed to be very much like the government of the United States, but it is like the United States only insofar as it has a written constitution. The resemblance stops there. The government is supposed to be administered about the same as ours, until we get to the official who corresponds best to our

mayor. He is called the political chief, and he has all the powers that our mayors have, and others commonly supposed to be vested in the czar or in the kaiser. As an illustration of this official's power, he told how one of the political chiefs rid his city of prowling thieves who used to hold up servant girls and rob them. He held a conference with several policemen, after which, when you walked the streets in the morning you would come upon a policeman guarding a dead man. The policeman would explain that the dead man was a thief, whom he had captured, that the thief attempted to escape, and he shot him. Under the law, a policeman may not strike or otherwise harm a prisoner in his custody, but if the prisoner attempts to run away, he may shoot him. These policemen, acting under the authority of the man higher up, would capture a thief and then turn their backs for a moment. Naturally the prisoner would start to run away, and then the officer would shoot him. By this method, the town was rid of prowling thieves.

North and South
It is a significant fact, Mr. Thompson said, that the first outbreak of this trouble occurred simultaneously in the extreme north and the extreme south of Mexico. He showed pictures, first, of Yucatan, including some of the still existing buildings of the dead city where dwelt the ancient "people of the sacred well." On one occasion, he said, when he was lodging in the ancient monastery, he was disturbed by noise in the night, and jumped out of bed to investigate, landing with both feet on a monstrous coiled boa constrictor, which was after a pair of ducks that had sought safety within the monastery walls. The people of Yucatan, he said, are called the "Yankees of Mexico," and in some respects they deserve the title. The chief industry is sisal fibre and they do a large business with the United States. They are the descendants of the Spanish conquerors. The people who work the land are the Mayas. No one can tell, he said, any one

cause that has made this Mexican revolution inevitable, because no such one cause exists. Porfirio Diaz was first a soldier and then a statesman, but he was first, last and always a soldier. His false friends and counsellors were the cause of his downfall.

Illustrating the methods of Porfirio Diaz, he said that he found it necessary to have his friends made governors of the various states. The people of Yucatan wanted to elect their own governor, and did elect a very good man. When Diaz was informed of it, he immediately sent a telegram saying that he was extremely gratified to learn that his friend had been elected, and that in order to properly celebrate the event, he had sent five regiments of soldiers. The friend of Diaz served as governor.

Obregon, Carranza's Friend
Carranza, Mr. Thompson says, is really a man of fine character, well educated, and, he believes, thoroughly upright and sincere. But he expressed some doubt as to whether he has the power to keep his command, under the existing conditions. Many people think Obregon proposes to take the command away from Carranza, but he doubts that, and believes that Obregon is sincerely Carranza's friend.

He showed a picture of the governor of Yucatan, and said that about the time this governor came in, he went out, under thrilling circumstances, which he related. He said that when the people of Yucatan were expected to do military service, they objected, but being placed under compulsion, said that they would help with money, if they could be let alone. Money was badly needed, and so Carranza made the promise to them, that they should not be disturbed. Carranza himself would have kept his promise, but he was surrounded by adventurers who, when minerals were discovered there, went down and made trouble. There was an uprising, and during the trouble Mr. Thompson received word that 11 of his friends, most of them professors in the Mexican college, were fugitives, trapped in a remote place on the coast, and unless they were rescued would certainly be executed. The only way that he could rescue them was to go after them himself. He succeeded in getting a small craft which he provisioned as well as he could, and started after his friends. When he found them the number had increased to 20, and two were women. They were all taken on board, and while they were on the gulf the line storm came up. The bailed all night, with their hats, the women sewing up the rents in the hats when they gave away. They had some brown and blue paint in the boat, and they succeeded in making an American flag, which they used as a signal of distress. On the 10th morning, they were seen by the crew of a fishing craft and were taken on board and fed, for their provisions had become exceedingly scanty. It was discovered that they were 236 miles from Cuba, in the Caribbean sea. They had drifted out of the Gulf of Mexico. However, they finally got safely into the harbor of Havana, after which the consul saw the authorities at Washington and then came back to Boston.

ARMY REORGANIZATION BILL
WASHINGTON, May 26.—Advocates of industrial preparedness displayed interest today in the \$145,000,000 army appropriation bill's provision for an official council whose duty would be to coordinate industries and other economic resources in time of war. The council would consist of six members of the cabinet and would be aided by an advisory commission of seven experts.

The bill, approved yesterday by the house military committee, will be reported to the house next Tuesday. It includes provision for making the Hay-Chamberlain army reorganization bill effective and is the largest army supply measure in the history of congress.

SCHOOL HOUSE SOLD

SIMON B. HARRIS DISPOSED OF PROPERTY FOR CITY AT SUM OF \$2015

The school street school building consisting of a two-story wooden structure with almost 9,000 square feet of land was sold to the highest bidder yesterday afternoon. The sale was conducted by Auctioneer Simon B. Harris with an attendance of about 25.

The first bid, \$1,000 was offered by Charles Wotton and gradually the bids increased until the property was struck off to Mrs. Eugene H. Cantin of 44 Mt. Vernon street for the sum of \$2015. Present at the sale was Commissioner Donnelly under whose direction the sale was conducted.

Mrs. Ann Frouder, who is now 102 years of age and the oldest woman in Baltimore, remembers well the Battle of Waterloo.



CHIC NECKWEAR

This deep stock with a flare top is daintily hemstitched and wired. Shirred into a graceful front is a square of georgette crepe, pivot edged. Worn with a dark shirt waist, this fixing is most effective.

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

OUR GREAT UNDERPRICE BASEMENT, always the most economical shopping place in New England, offers the following for the end of the week shoppers:



Annual Sale of Men's Straw Hats

120 Dozen Sample Hats at About 1-3 Below Regular Prices

This lot includes all the latest shapes in sailors, either saw tooth or cable edges; soft brims, roll or straight, in sennit, split, mackinaw and Porto Rican.

\$2.50 Hats, at, each **\$1.49**
\$2.00 Hats, at, each **\$1.29**
\$1.50 Hats, at, each **98c**
\$1.00 Hats, at, each **79c**

75c and \$1.00 Odd Lots, at, each **59c**
Children's Straw Hats, in all the new shapes—Alpine, square, round and rah rah styles in different colors of trimming or plain black, only, each **45c**

PALMER STREET

BASEMENT



Special Muslin Underwear Values

In the Ready-for-Wear Section

CORSET COVERS

At 15c Each—Ladies' Corset Covers, lace and hamburger trimmed, 20c value.
At 25c—Ladies' Corset Covers in several styles, front and back trimmed with fine hamburger, lace and ribbon.
At 39c Each—Ladies' Corset Covers in large variety of styles, lace and hamburger trimmed, 50c value.

LADIES' DRAWERS

At 25c Pair—Ladies' Drawers, made of fine cotton and cambric, hamburger trimmed.
At 39c Pair—Drawers, made of fine nainsook and cambric, trimmed with very fine lace and hamburger.

NIGHT GOWNS

At 49c—Ladies' Night Gowns, lace and hamburger trimmed back and front square and round neck, 69c value.

At 79c—Ladies' Night Gowns, made of good nainsook in several new patterns and nicely trimmed, \$1.00 value.

At 98c—Ladies' Night Gowns, made of very fine nainsook, round, square and V neck and back and front trimmed with very fine lace and hamburger, \$1.25 to \$1.50 value.

WHITE SKIRTS

At 49c Each—Ladies' Skirts, deep hamburger flouncing in several patterns, 75c value.

At 79c Each—Ladies' White Skirts in several new patterns, made of good nainsook, lace and hamburger flouncing, \$1.00 value.

At 98c Each—Ladies' White Skirts, made of very fine nainsook in large assortment of patterns, lace and hamburger flouncing and ribbon, \$1.25 to \$1.50 value.

ENVELOPE CHEMISE

At 49c Each—Envelope Chemise, made of good material in several new styles, lace and hamburger trimmed, 75c value.

At 79c Each—Ladies' Envelope Chemise, lace and hamburger trimmed, made of fine nainsook in all new styles.

At 98c Each—Ladies' Envelope Chemise, made of very fine quality nainsook, trimmed with very fine dainty lace and hamburger, \$1.25 to \$1.50 value.

LADIES' COMBINATIONS

At 49c Each—Ladies' Combination Skirts or Drawers, good material and nicely trimmed, 75c value.

At 79c Each—Ladies' Combinations, made several new styles, lace and hamburger trimmed, \$1.00 value.

At 98c Each—Ladies' Combination Skirts or Drawers, made of very fine nainsook, in large assortment of patterns and nicely trimmed with fine lace and embroidery, \$1.25 to \$1.50 value.

Ladies' Sport and Outing Skirts

We are showing a large variety of sport and outing skirts made in the latest models at a great saving from the regular prices.

At 59c Each—Ladies' Sport Skirts, made of heavy white linen in very attractive models, 75c value.

At 75c Each—Ladies' Outing and Sport Skirts, made of fine black and white check in new models with pockets, \$1.00 value.

MERRIMACK STREET

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BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION

Boys' Wash Suits At Very Low Prices

At 49c Suit—Boys' Wash Suits, made fine chambray, gingham, and crash, made in several new models, sizes 3 to 10 years.

At 98c Suit—Boys' Wash Suits, sizes 3 to 10 years, junior norfolk and vestee styles, made of good fast color galatea, gingham, madras, linen and fine percales, \$1.25 value.

PALMER STREET

At \$1.49 Suit—Boys' Wash Suits, junior norfolk and vestee styles, sizes 3 to 10 years, made of fine galatea, gingham, woven madras and linen, \$2.00 value.

At \$1.98 Suit—Boys' Wash Suits, made of fine galatea, gabardine, madras, repp and linen in large assortment of patterns, \$2.50 value.

SPECIAL—200 Boys' Blue Serge Suits at \$5.00 Suit—Now on sale, 200 Boys' Suits, made of all wool serge, norfolk styles, three piece belts and lined pants, \$6.00 value.



BASEMENT

SHOE SPECIALS

Women's White Canvas 8 Inch High Cut Lace Boot, very popular this season, all sizes 2 1-2 to 7. Sale price, **\$1.98**

Women's White Buck Button Boot and low cuts, also white buck pumps, all sizes. Regular \$2.50 and \$3.00. Sale price **\$1.49**

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Women's White Canvas with white rubber soles and heels, all sizes 2 1-2 to 6. Just the thing for field day. Sale price, **\$1.49**

A Large Assortment of Women's Pumps in a variety of new styles, mostly welts, made to sell for \$3.00 and \$3.50. Our price **\$1.98 and \$2.49**

SHOE DEPARTMENT

WANTED—Experienced salesmen on wash goods.

The Gilbride Co.
MERRIMACK PALMER STS.

Rousing Anniversary Specials

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
Don't Fail to Attend This Sale

ANNIVERSARY SPECIALS—

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Long White Skirts, with flounce of Val. lace or nainsook embroidery. Regular price \$1.25. Anniversary sale price..... **89c**
Long White Skirts, with 18 inch flounce of embroidery, and ribbon trim. Regular price \$1.50. Anniversary sale price..... **\$1.00**
Women's Night Robes, of good quality of crepe, edged with Torchon lace or embroidery, and ribbon drawn. Regular price 69c. Anniversary sale price **50c**
Night Robes, of nainsook with yoke of medallions. Val. lace and beadings; others of cambric with yoke of tucks and embroidery. Regular price \$1.00. Anniversary sale price..... **79c**
Envelope Chemise, with yoke of organdie lace, and ribbon drawn. Regular price 60c. Anniversary sale price..... **50c**
Women's Drawers, with cluster of tucks and deep ruffle of embroidery. Regular price 30c pair. Anniversary sale price **25c PAIR**

ANNIVERSARY SPECIALS—

GLOVES AND HOSIERY

16 Button Silk Gloves, black, tan, white and gray, all double finger tips, and embroidered backs. Regular \$1.00 quality. Sale price **63c PAIR**
2-Clasp Kid Gloves, in tan, gray, black and white; white slightly soiled; also broken sizes. Regular \$1.00 quality. Sale price **67c PAIR**
Children's Black Lisle Hosiery, double soles, heels and toes. Regular value 25c. Sale price **19c PAIR**
Women's Fibre Silk Hosiery, in all colors, double lisle soles and double garter tops, seconds of the 50c quality. Sale price **39c PAIR**

ANNIVERSARY SPECIALS—

TOWELS AND CRASHES

Huck Towels, 22x43, extra large, soft and pliable. Never sold for less than 17c. Anniversary sale price..... **12 1/2c EACH**
500 Yards Unbleached Crash, good, firm quality. Regular price 12 1/2c. Anniversary sale price **10c**
"Fruit of the Loom" Remnants, regular 12 1/2c quality. Anniversary sale price **9 1/2c YARD**
Hemstitched Pillow Slips, 42x36, heavy firm quality. Regular price 19c. Anniversary sale price..... **12 1/2c EACH**

WOMEN'S CLUB LEAGUE

MRS. SAMUEL B. SNEATH IS
A CANDIDATE FOR PRESI-
DENT



MRS. SAMUEL B. SNEATH

Mrs. Samuel B. Sneath of Ohio is one of the two leading candidates for the presidency of the General Federation of Women's Clubs meeting in thirteenth biennial session in New York. The other is Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles of California. Mrs. Sneath's champions are determined that the presidency shall not go to the west. The last three presidents have been from west of the Mississippi and they demand a change for the east. The election will take place on May 31.

LARGE POSTAL SAVINGS

Larger postal savings deposits may now be made at the local post office, this being made possible by the amendment to the postal savings act approved by President Wilson. The amount deposited may now be as high as \$1000 upon which interest will be paid. Formerly the maximum amount that would draw interest was \$500. The law restricting monthly deposits to \$100 has also been abolished. The majority of local depositors, however, prefer the savings banks where the rate of interest is about double that of the post office and the security all that can be desired.

There is Nothing in the
World Like Glacier Park!

Glacier Park is an ideal recreation spot, the like of which can't be found anywhere else in the world. It's just "chuckful" of the things that will fill your vacation with joy. If you are interested in mountain trout, the 250 glacial lakes, with their connecting streams, furnish plenty of lively sport in that direction.

Probably your wife likes wild flowers. Glacier Park supplies an abundance of flowering dogwood, yellow aders' tongue, wild gentian, mountain lilacs, forget-me-nots, larkspur and a dozen other varieties, each lending itself to making every scene an unsurpassed riot of colors.

The climate and the air transcend all description; it's air that makes you eat and sleep right, and fires you with a new ambition such as you haven't known for years!

If you will call at my office, I will be glad to go over the proposition with you and outline a trip that can be made in exactly the time that you have to devote to it and within the cost that you decide you can spend. If it will be more convenient for you to send in a postal with your address, I will mail you some good sounding matter on the Park, and some pictures and maps. Remember, there is no expense or obligation connected with an inquiry; that's what I'm here for.

ALEX. STOKES, New England Pres. Agt. C. B. & O. R. R. Co., 264 Washington st., Boston.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

J. L. CHALIFOUX CO.

COR. MERRIMACK & CENTRAL ST.

Week-End Sale

Which Illustrates the Saving We are Offering on Seasonable Footwear

Men's Educator Shoes, Rice & Hutchins Educator shoes in black and tan leathers, high and low cut, \$4 to \$5 values. Marked **\$2.98**

Women's La France Pumps in gun metal and patent, new style Colonial, all sizes, \$4 values. Marked **\$2.35**

Men's Scout Shoes in dark tan, soft leather uppers with Elk sole, \$2.50 values. Marked **\$1.98**

Women's Sample Low Cut Shoes, Pumps and Oxfords, in black, tan, gray and champagne, every pair a bargain, \$1.50 to \$2.50 values. Marked **\$1.19**

Men's New English Model Lace Shoes in black and tan calfskin, all sizes, \$4.00 values. Marked **\$2.98**

Women's White Pumps, two strap Colonial, white canvas with high or low heel, \$1.50 values. Marked **.98c**

THE LADY'S WORKBAG

An old lady who has knitted for many years tells me that the best way to join heavy wool is to use a blunt-pointed, large-eyed needle. Thread it with the end of the wool and carefully insert it through the middle of the end of the new piece. Run the needle up carefully for two inches, then pull out the needle at the side, trim off the wool and the splice will be made. She finds the easiest way to join light wool is simply to lap the ends. The extra thickness for an inch or so does not matter. Knots are never countenanced by expert knitters.

The best way to straighten crumpled or knitted work is to lay it on a white cotton cloth previously wrung out of cold water and spread on a smooth table. Pin the article in desired shape on the cloth. Cover with a fresh, dry cloth and leave until the foundation cloth is entirely dry.

To change the feathers from an old pillow to a new one without wasting the feathers, seam up the new pillow, leaving about four inches in one end unsewn; rip about four inches in one end of the old pillow and sew the edges of the new pillow to edges of old with coarse thread. Shake and push the feathers from the old pillow into the new one and finish sewing up the end of the new pillow.

some patent fasteners on a piece of

tape, which in turn sew to mattress. The other part of the fastener is stitched to the valance. This can easily be snapped on and off for laundry purposes, and always remains neat.

A good thing to know is, when hemming new linen, to soap the hem with castile soap and the needle will slip through easily.

An attractive cretonne desk set may be made at little cost if one is skillful. Cut a large oblong of cardboard and cover one side of it with cretonne, turning in the corners neatly and pasting with library paste. Set this under heavy weights and proceed to make the corner sections, each of pasteboard in triangle size, covered with the cretonne. A piece of blotting paper is to be pasted on the reverse side of the large cardboard; then the four corners of cretonne will be pasted down on the blotting pad.

The memorandum book is an ordinary blankbook provided with a cretonne slip-cover. The blotter is made of several sheets of blotting paper, about 6 inches long by 3 inches wide, attached to a cardboard of equal size covered with cretonne on one side and blotting paper on the other. Here a hole through this strip of covered cardboard and tie blotters to it. They may be pulled off as clean blotters are required.

The rack of stationery is made of pieces of cardboard, covered with cretonne and then attached together. The

TO HEAD ATLANTIC FLEET

ADMIRAL HENRY T. MAYO, WHO IS TO SUCCEED ADMIRAL FLETCHER



ADMIRAL HENRY T. MAYO

Following the established policy of the navy, which aims at giving officers of high rank opportunity to exercise important commands, Henry T. Mayo, now second in command of the Atlantic fleet, with the rank of vice admiral, will succeed Admiral Fletcher as head of the fleet on June 15. Rear Admiral Coffman will become vice admiral and second in command in succession to Mayo, who will have the rank of admiral while he is the first officer of the biggest American fleet. Another duty will be assigned to Admiral Fletcher, who reverts to the rank of rear admiral. Mayo was the cause of the Vera Cruz landing in 1914 when he demanded a salute to the colors for an affront to some of his men at Tampico. He is a Vermont man, fifty-nine years old.

back may be 3 inches wide and 7 inches high, the front 3 inches long and 4 inches high. Side pieces will be 3 inches high and an inch wide, bottom piece, 9 inches long and an inch wide.

The bloomer is a convenient, comfortable garment, that takes up little room in trunk or handbag, and that gives little bulk in the wearing. For outdoor sports of all kinds, from mere walking to mountain climbing, it is ideal. For evening wear it is equally ideal. It is an all-day-long garment that women are wearing more and more.

It is quite possible to make bloomers for 40 or 50 cents a pair that are fairly and durable and as easy to launder as the silk ones. These are made of thin cotton crease—the sort sold for underwear, not for frocks. This costs from 15 to 25 cents a yard, and two yards is enough for a pair of bloomers of medium size. Anybody short needs only a yard and three-quarters. It comes in pink, blue and lavender.

The bloomers are very easy to make. They need no buttonholes or buttons, and there are no plaques, which are always bothersome in the making. There is an elastic in each knee and another at the belt, so that the bloomers slip into place and stay in place when they are put on. A waist and a half or two yards of cotton elastic is needed.

To find the necessary coverings on sweeping days has often sent the maid scurrying about for old aprons, sheets, towels and anything else she could lay her hands on to use for this purpose.

A friend of mine has solved the difficulty in this way: She purchased a quantity of gray cambric and made from it a large sheet with which to cover the beds and sideboard; smaller covers for dressers and toilet tables were made and still others, in suitable shapes, were designed to put over lamps, mantels and the like. She also made from the cambric a bag to keep the covers in; this was hung in the broom closet.

While light, the cambric formed a perfect protection against dust, and a simple shaking when the sweeping was finished freed the covers from all dust that had settled upon them, so that they required washing but once a month. The use of these dust covers saved much valuable time and extra work. The cost of such a set is moderate and it does not take long to make them.

A good use for discarded feather beds is to put a small portion of the feathers into a tick made of muslin the size of the bed. Spread the feathers evenly, tack the case on quilting frames, cover both sides with silk, line, and knot or tie as you would a comforter. A most excellent substitute for a down quilt is the result. The seams of dress sleeves can be easily pressed open by placing several thicknesses of paper under the seams, being careful not to let the iron crease the other parts of the sleeve.

Probably you believe that you are practicing all of the economies known to the up-to-date housekeeper, but have you turned toward the outside of a half worn tablecloth? It is done exactly as a wide sheet is rejuvenated, and if a very fine seam is carefully folded on the wrong side of the damask, the joining will never show.

If you boil hooks and eyes in strong soda water before sewing them on garments, it will prevent their iron rusting in the wash.

FOR BIBLE CLASSES

The Dowsy campaign, which aims at the gathering of men in bible classes, is now well under way and it is the hope of George E. Dowsy, a Philadelphia reformed Episcopalian clergyman, to place 50,000 men in such classes.

Last night at the Young Men's Christian association in this city over 50 men representing 22 Protestant churches in this city and the suburban towns perfected plans for a Dowsy mass meeting to be held in the First Congregational church on the night of June 1.

An afternoon meeting at 3 o'clock of the same day, will be held in the First Congregational church, and

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this meeting will be addressed by Mr. Dowsy.

Plans were made whereby the men of Centralville and Belvidere will meet at the Paige Street Baptist church on Thursday evening, June 1, at 7:40 o'clock and march in a body from here to the First Congregational church. The men of the Highlands and Gorham street sections will meet at St. Paul's M. E. church in Hurd street at 7:35 o'clock and march from there to the First church.

SIX CENT FARES

May 31 is Date Set for
the Hearing of Local
Evidence

BOSTON, May 26.—The public service commission yesterday gave out a statement in which Lowell is assigned to Wednesday, May 31, to present its evidence in opposition to the Day State proposed fare increases. The commission said that the Lowell district, as included in the assignment, will comprise the lines in Lowell, Chelmsford, Dracut, Tewksbury and Tyngsboro. In another part of the statement appears the following: It should be understood that the purpose of these hearings is to afford the commission information in regard to special local conditions. The board will assume that the patrons of the road do not welcome

an increase in fares, and it desires at these hearings no general protest, but the presentation of facts and reasons why the specific increases proposed in the various cities and towns should not be permitted.

The list of assignments begins with

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DUCE SUPERFLUOUS
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People who are confined within doors and who are deprived of fresh, invigorating air and exercise must take precaution to guard against over-stoutness, as fat acquired by indoor life is unhealthy and a danger to the vital organs of the body. Lack of exercise in the fresh air is said to weaken the oxygen carrying power of the blood, so that it is unable to produce strong muscles and vitality and the formation of unhealthy and unhealthy fat is the result.

If you are 15 or 20 pounds above normal weight you are daily drawing on your reserve strength and are constantly lowering your vitality by carrying this excess burden. Any persons who are satisfied in their own mind that they are no stout are advised to go to A. W. Dows & Co., or any good druggist and get a box of oil of Korein capsules, and take one after each meal and one just before retiring at night.

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Lowell on Wednesday, with Lawrence on the same day, while Thursday will be devoted to Haverhill, Friday to Salem and Lynn. On Monday, June 5, attention will be given to Chelsea, and the Woburn-Reading district; Tuesday, June 6, to the Hyde Park section of Boston, and the Quincy district; Wednesday, June 7, to the Brockton district, including Taunton; Thursday, June 8, to Fall River and New Bedford.

The hearings will begin at 10 o'clock each day and will continue till 4 o'clock in the afternoon, with an intermission of one hour from 1 to 2 o'clock. The commission says that if any district is unable to finish on the day assigned, the board will endeavor to give further time at a later date.

Under cross-examination by E. Gerry Brown of Brockton, appearing for the Merchants' association of that city, at the continued hearing yesterday, Treasurer Charles R. Rockwell of the Day State said one reason why the road needed more money was increased wages to employees. This factor represents \$315,000 added to the expense this year, he said, "and further increases may be necessary when the contract with the employees expires in October."

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LAX PROPERTY OWNERS

Property owners in this city are the first to call for fire protection, but some of them are unwilling to provide it, when it means a few dollars out of their respective pockets. It is the experience of firemen who call the attention of the public to the hazards that some of the loudest shouters are the greatest shirkers. They will advocate many improvements and define the city's duties, but when the argument hits home, they are most anxious that the other fellow should stand the expense. They would like to see the fire insurance reduced and the city made safer—so long as they are not taxed for their share of the cost.

Selfishness cannot be tolerated in anything that would conduce to fire prevention and all citizens will have to stand their proportionate share if results are to be attained. The property owners who are the first to kick when asked to co-operate with the city authorities would kick a great deal harder if the city were swept by a conflagration. It is not fair for one or two or six men in a street to endanger the property of their neighbors, and the law should be enforced to the letter, irrespective of whom may be hurt in the process.

To reduce the fire hazards in Lowell it has been found necessary sometimes to call in the state authorities, but we ought to be able to deal with the owners of fire traps without outside aid. The authorities know the regulations and they may easily discover cases where these are being violated. Let us have no more of this catering to this or that selfish owner of property, but in the interest of better protection for all let us have a rigid enforcement of the law and the city regulations.

No man would be allowed to go out with a lighted torch and set fire to his home or store or barn. Why then should he be allowed to let his property become a menace or invite fire hazards? The great majority of Lowell citizens will stand back of any earnest attempt to make the city safer, and the growls of the occasional property owner will be drowned out in the chorus of approval. The fire commissioner, his chief and his men are therefore advised to enforce the law without fear or favor.

DAMAGED BY TRUCKS

Chairman Sobier of the state highway commission believes with The Sun that the general use of the heavy auto truck has made the care and upkeep of streets and roads a very expensive proposition. He says that if the heavier type of trucks continues to increase in proportion to the past few years, it will impose a burden of millions yearly on the state to keep the roads in shape. It is estimated that it now costs the state three millions to keep the roads in proper condition, and the commission says it needs five millions. Streets and roads that were constructed in the days of horse-drawn vehicles are now torn and pounded by the immense trucks that carry enormous quantities of freight, and in spring when the frost is coming out great ruts are ploughed into the roads, necessitating immediate attention to prevent further deterioration. The change is also reflected in the construction of bridges which are now built with special regard for the great truck loads that continually pass over.

There are only two alternatives to meet the condition. Either the streets and roads must be paved with heavier and more enduring material or there must be a limit to the weight which the trucks are permitted to carry. It is not likely that business would countenance any limitation in a field that is quite undeveloped, and cities, towns, the state and the nation must provide for the modern emergencies by making larger appropriations for streets and roads and by constructing them on a more enduring scale. New conditions create new problems—and this is one of the practical problems of the age.

Incidentally, the use of the large auto truck is cutting into the profits of the railroads and business firms in cities such as ours. It is not at all unusual to see immense loads of furniture, etc., from Boston firms in Lowell streets, having been brought over the roads, and to counteract this—which is not in the interest of Lowell—our people must cultivate a greater spirit—and be more loyal to local merchants.

THE HEROIC FRENCH

No revelation of the war has been more inspiring than the patriotism and national vitality shown by the French in their opposition to the marvelous German war machine. They have borne the brunt of the fighting and wherever the German forces have been stayed, the greatest share of credit is due to gallant France. When a few days ago it was announced that the Germans had lost Fort Douaumont, the world was loud in admiration and though it has been won back it is at a price that will tell against Germany in future onslaughts. For efficiency, perseverance, and the spirit of self-sacrifice, France has risen to unexpected heights.

Whatever the ultimate result may be, the trial that France is passing through shall refine and spiritualize her national life, and burn away all

the traces of decadence that were so commented on before the war. Her people are united as never before in a bond of patriotic devotion, and the qualities brought out so strongly during the past few years cannot speedily die. The rejuvenated France that we now see is the France of the great old days when her culture was as powerful as her armies, when her literature moulded the world and when her idealism leavened the world. Even in the hate of war, Germany has been forced to admit that in France it faces a valiant foe, and many haters of England have been drawn to the side of the allies by their love for a nation that is winning undying glory.

SHE BROKE THE RULES

To discover somebody who has attained the ripe age of 100 and not to ask the reason why is an unpardonable sin in newspaper ethics. There are but rare instances of it, however, while scarcely a week goes by that we are not regaled by the story of a life which has been extended by rigid adherence to all the commandments and domestic virtues.

Occasionally a man or woman is found who will proudly say that he or she grew old gracefully by doing about as they pleased and never bothering much with rules and regulations. An example comes from Indiana where a woman died recently at the age of 100. We are told that she drank gin, smoked habitually, took snuff, ate everything that appealed to her and never bothered about her diet, abominated ventilation and slept in a room with closed windows. To the last she was vigorous and alert mentally and physically, she enjoyed her meals and did them justice and was remarkably sunny and cheerful.

Without going so far as to advise others to follow her example, we cannot quite conceal our admiration for this cheerful old lady who broke all the rules and lived long enough to bury scores of contemporaries who had observed them. She is a relief after the lectures on efficiency, eugenics, sanitation, clean-up movements and "safety first" campaigns. If she proves anything it is that there are exceptions to all rules and that sometimes the human body can stand a lot of abuse.

WHY CAMDEN GREW

Camden, N. J., is quite puffed up over its phenomenal growth to a population of over 100,000 and it is celebrating with a civic exposition. It especially emphasizes the great diversity of its industries—something for which it may justly be proud. It makes 80 per cent of the writing pens used all over the world; it makes a great percentage of the records for phonographs, paper boxes, gas mantles, steam heating apparatus, candy, macaroni, cork products, cigars, wire staples, lace, whitening, licorice, bricks, iron castings, oilcloth, linoleum, etc.—all on a large scale. It also has the usual lesser industries, and being across the river from Philadelphia, it has ambitions.

Many cities larger than Camden are dependent on one or a very few industries, but they regret it. Here in Massachusetts we have cities striving hard to offset the deficiency, realizing that a strike or lockout would cripple the community in every respect. Camden might have half a dozen distinct labor disputes, but there would still be enough to do for the greater part of the population. For many years Lowell has been fortunate in attracting diversified industries and in consequence our outlook is so much the brighter. Camden is not yet as large as Lowell, but as we grow we ought to grow in the Camden way.

UNKNOWN HEROES

But few stories of individual heroism have come out of this the greatest war in the world's history, and yet its heroes are numbered by the hundreds of thousands. This is partly due to the rigid censorship which prevents any details except the large re-

sults to filter out, but it is due in greater measure to the changed style of warfare. Today, the guns are more important than the men, though to be sure, the men must be supplied as food for sacrifice. The imagination balks at pictures of battles such as those of Verdun where the very hills are powdered by the incessant rain of shells. From the accounts we know that it is not uncommon for hundreds to be destroyed in a second, and greater numbers have been buried by the collapse of trenches under the rain of fire. Our feelings have been deadened by the length of the conflict, but in the reflection that will follow the dawn of peace, the world may well ask if anything can atone for the great host of the noble dead that has been crunched by the war machine of the nations.

LANDMARKS GOING

The destruction of the Capt. Jacob Smith homestead in Westford a day or two ago adds another to the list of historic landmarks in this section wiped out by fire during the past few years. It is a pity to see the Colonial relics going so rapidly, but in the frequent changing of ownership, risks are inevitable. Realizing the value of preserving that which cannot be replaced societies everywhere are taking pains to prevent further destruction and each loss should impress on all the need for further safeguarding the treasures that are left.

BRYAN?

William Jennings Bryan, it is said, will be at the coming democratic convention not as a delegate but as a newspaper reporter, so it looks as though his capacity for making trouble will be curtailed. There is also the possibility that he may head the prohibition ticket, and since he must be the head of something or other he might as well be there as anywhere else—if the prohibitionists can stand for him.

SEEN AND HEARD

It isn't every suffragist who can make good bread.

It is funny, the older you get, how things which were once of importance seem frivolous to a high degree.

"That was a pretty, tough-looking bunch surrounding you," said a fellow to Charlie. "Where as Charlie pulled away from six or seven panhandlers. They don't bother me. I've been surrounded by Indians and gray wolves in my day," said Charlie.

He's in Wrong Forever
Some time ago a party named Brown

USING UP VITALITY

The struggle for success uses up vitality in America at a greater rate than any other thing. Fighting to keep away from the poor-house we shorten the distance to the grave.

Especially in middle age, at forty or thereabouts, do we become impressed with the necessity of laying up a competence and with that feeling in time comes worry, nervous breakdown, neurasthenia. The entire system feels the result of the nervous strain. The digestion resorts things that it accepted before, the heart palpitates on slight exertion, the muscles of the back ache after a day's work. Your blood is thinner and not so bright a red.

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had an appointment with a man in a distant city, and when the business was transacted he was urged to accompany the other to a reception. Brown consented.

"Jim," he remarked on reaching the house where the reception was held and glancing around the room, "who is that painted party stacked up against the paper-mache palm who looks like a cross between an Egyptian mummy and a circus clown?"

"That," replied Jim, with a rapidly changing expression, "is my wife."

"Dr. Scott Smith," said the unabashed rejoinder of Brown. "I went straight to headquarters for information, didn't I?"

Found It Delicious

A cook at a cheap lodging house played a little game on a grumbling boarder by serving him with a piece of solid leather instead of breakfast. "You have changed your butcher," Mrs. Haascher, said the boarder, looking up at the landlady, after saving two or three minutes at the kitchen. "Same butcher as usual," replied the boarding house keeper, with a patronizing smile. "Why?"

"Oh, nothing much," said the lodger, trying to make an impression on the leather with his knife and fork.

"Only this piece of meat is the tenderest I have had in this house for some weeks."

It's the Modern Way

"What is your diagnosis, doctor?" "Well, I find that you have a little inflammation in the ears, your throat is slightly affected, your digestive organs are not functioning properly and there is evidence of bronchitis."

"Well, I advise that you go to Dr. Tappan for your ears; across the street you will find Dr. Swallow, who is a throat specialist, and Dr. Pepsin will understand your digestive difficulties. As to your bronchitis, you should see a good lung expert at once; the matter with me that you can cure."

"Yes, you have a \$10 bill in your wallet; I'll relieve you of that."

Silence Is Golden

"Do you think, my darling," he gurgled as he buried his manly mustache in his charmer's silk soft neck, "that your father will consent to our marriage?"

"Well," she replied, "of course, papa will consent to lose me, still."

"But interrupted the ardent one, "I will remind him that instead of losing a daughter he will gain a son."

A deadly pallor overspread her damask cheek.

"Clarence," she cried, "if you really want me, I implore you to say nothing so foolish. Papa has three such sons living with him now, and he's extremely touchy on the subject."

All That Was Needed

There were two rival delegates at a political convention in one of the west-ern states who got into a serious personal dispute.

"Oh, you're crazy!" shouted one.

"I'm not crazy!" denied the other.

"But you are crazy!" vociferated the first.

"I can prove that I'm not crazy, and that's more than you can do," came back the rejoinder.

"Let's see you prove it, then."

Whereupon the man who was accused of being crazy pulled from his inside pocket a large charge paper from a nearby insane asylum.

The Perfect Dinner Table

A table cloth that's slightly soiled. Here greasy little hands have toiled; The napkins kept in silver rings. And only ordinary things.

From which to eat, and simple fare. And just the wife and kiddies there. And while I serve the clatter glad Of little girl and little lad.

About the happenings of the day.

Four big round eyes that dance with glee.

Forever flashing joys at me.

Upon the table and at times. To tell of troubles and of fun.

The mother with a patient smile Who knows that she must wait awhile.

Before she'll get a chance to say.

What she's discovered through the day.

She steps aside for girl and lad.

Who have so much to tell their dad.

Perhaps our manners aren't the best.

Perhaps our elbows often rest.

Upon the table and at times.

That very worst of dinner crimes.

That very shameful act and rude.

Of speaking or you've downed food.

Too frequently, I fear is done.

No stranger's face is ever known.

So fast the little voices run.

Yet why should table manners stay?

Those tongues that have so much to say?

At many a table I have seen.

Where wealth and luxury were seen.

And I have dined in halls of pride.

Where all the guests were dignified.

But when it comes to pleasure rare.

The perfect dinner table's where.

No stranger's face is ever known.

The dinner hour we spend alone.

When little girl and little lad.

Run riot telling things to dad.

—Edgar A. Guest in the Detroit Free Press.

Couldn't Lose Willie

"Willie," said the Brookline heiress, cheerfully. "I have been thinking—"

"Thinking of me, my precious?" asked Willie.

"In a way, yes," replied Gladys. "I



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I have been thinking that were you to marry me everyone would say you only did it for the sake of my money."

But Willie was not abashed one whit. "What care I for the base, unthinking world?" cried he gallantly, adjusting his immaculate gloves.

"Still, Willie, nothing shall part us. I will marry you or no one."

"My own Gladys!"

"And I will not have people saying unkind things about you, so I am doing of my fortune to the missionaries."

Why, dearest, why are you going?"

Willie looked back through the half open door. "I'm going to become a missionary," he replied.

HELD SMOKE TALK

LUNION GARIN AT GRAFTON HALL HAD ENJOYABLE MEETING LAST EVENING

A delightful smoke talk was conducted by the members of Union Garin Nationale independante at its quarters, Grafton hall, last evening. The affair was largely attended and proved very successful. In the early evening a brief business meeting was held with President Timothee Roy in the chair and later a varied entertainment program was given, those taking part being Wilfrid Forget, Aurele Nadeau, Paul Robert, Frank Pelletier, A. Frappier, Nelson Nadeau, Leo Sylvestre, Maxime Lepine, Napoleon Bernier, Wilfrid Bourdon, Joseph Harvey and Charles Dumont.

Refreshments were served and the party broke up at a seasonable hour all present being unanimous in saying the evening was one of the best conducted by this popular organization for a long time. The committee in charge of the event was as follows: Chairman, Timothee Roy; secretary, Eugene Tremblay; treasurer, George Lebrun; Elieann Raymond, Louis Boudreau; Joseph Goyette, Joseph Rivard, A. Dube, Arthur Bertrand, Narcisse Gagnon, Moise Beaudin, A. Demers, N. Desmarais, Narcisse Foucher, Arthur Lavoie, Arthur Durand, Romulus Clermont, Xavier Frappier, Telephore Nault, Arthur Morvan, Honore Normand, Alfrid Lebel and others.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

ENGLISH TEA PARTY GIVEN BY LADIES OF BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the First Baptist church gave a very enjoyable English tea party last night in the vestry of the church. The various tables were presided over by the following matrons: Mrs. Gilman Alcott, Mrs. John Thorn, Mrs. James Myers, Mrs. Craven Mingley, Mrs. Albert French, Mrs. John Myers, Mrs. J. K. Arthur Dyer, Mrs. Abbie Foster, Mrs. Adelaide Folsom, Miss Phyllis Trull, Miss Ivy Hands, Miss Alice Laycock.

A pleasing entertainment was given by the following people: Songs, James McDonald, baritone; Gates Coburn, tenor; Piano solos, Arthur Dows; soprano solo, Miss Bertha Hunt; violin obligato by Mrs. F. J. Farnam; readings, Royal Hayes, Mrs. E. F. Wagner was accompanist.

REV. DR. HUDSON DEAD

BROCKTON, May 26.—Rev. Dr. Alan Hudson, of Cambridge, formerly of Brockton, died of apoplexy early this morning at his summer home at Arta Island, Cataumet. Dr. Hudson was for 19 years pastor of the First Parish

Congregational church in this city, resigning in September, 1915, to devote himself to literary work.

Since that time he has lived in Cambridge. He went to Cataumet two days ago on advice of his physician to seek a rest.

Says Woman's Beauty Depends Upon Health

Health and Vigor Necessitate Regulation of Organs of Elimination

Skin feeds and face creams and powders cannot make a woman beautiful, because beauty lies deeper than that—it depends on health. In most cases the basis of health and the cause of sickness can be traced to the action of the bowels.

The headache, the lassitude, the sallow skin, and the lusterless eyes are usually caused by constipation. An ideal remedy for women, and one that is especially suited to their delicate organization, is found in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a mild laxative compound, pleasant to the taste and free from opiates and narcotic drugs of every description. Mrs. Gertrude Jordan, 522 North Liberty St., Indianapolis, Ind., says: "It is simply fine; I have never been able to find anything to compare with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I started using it for the baby and now it is my family standby in all cases where a laxative is needed."

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is sold in drug stores for fifty cents a bottle.

DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEP SIN

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 26.—The new dreadnought Pennsylvania is to be turned over to the government within the next two weeks, the exact date to be fixed by the navy department, it was announced today by shipyard officials here. The Pennsylvania will become the flagship of the Atlantic

When Lydia E. Pinkham's remedies were first introduced, their curative powers were doubted and had to be proved. But the proof came, and gradually the use of them spread over the whole country. Now that hundreds of thousands of women have experienced the most beneficial effects from the use of these medicines, their value has become generally recognized, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the standard medicine for women.

The following letter is only one of the thousands on file in the Pinkham office, at Lynn, Mass., proving that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is an article of great merit as shown by the results it produces.

Anamosa, Iowa.—"When I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I suffered with a displacement, and my system was in a general run-down condition. I would have the headache for a week and my back would ache so bad when I would bend down I could hardly straighten up. My sister was sick in bed for two months and doctored, but did not get any relief. She saw an advertisement of your medicine and tried it and got better. She told me what it had done for her, and when I had taken only two bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my head began to feel better. I continued its use, and now I don't have any of those troubles."—Mrs. L. J. HANNAN, R.F.D. 1, Anamosa, Iowa. m

I have been thinking that were you to marry me everyone would say you only did it for the sake of my money."

But Willie was not abashed one whit. "What care I for the base, unthinking world?" cried he gallantly, adjusting his immaculate gloves.

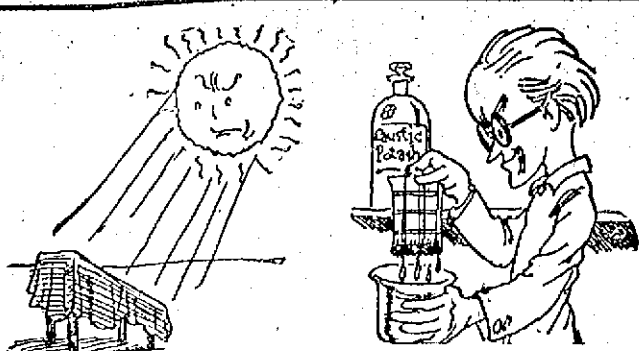
"Still, Willie, nothing shall part us. I will marry you or no one."

"My own Gladys!"

"And I will not have people saying unkind things about you, so I am doing of my fortune to the missionaries."

Why, dearest, why are you going?"

Willie looked back through the half open door. "I'm going to become a missionary," he replied.



The Sun Test

The Alkali Test

A piece of every piece of cloth we buy is exposed to sun and rain for ten days.

If it fades—we don't accept the goods.

A piece of every piece of cloth we buy is dissolved in a solution of caustic potash.

If there's the slightest cotton residue—we don't accept the goods.

These are the tests Rogers-Peet apply to all the cloths they use. Their standard of "all wool and fast color" means something—they guarantee their suits to us—we guarantee them to you.

Isn't it a satisfaction to know that you Can get clothes that Are all wool in which the colors won't fade?

Blue Serges That Won't Fade

Blue Serge Suits that we guarantee to be all wool and guarantee not to fade. Made on conservative models for men, on the smart high waisted form fitting models for young men. At every price the suits are guaranteed.

NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

House Refers Milk Regulation Bill to Next Legislature — Other Matters

BOSTON, May 26.—The bill of the state department of health for the regulation and supervision of the production, distribution and sale of milk was "referred to the next legislature" yesterday by the Massachusetts house of representatives by a rollcall vote of 118 yeas to 93 nays. This action practically means no legislation affecting milk production this session.

The fight for the bill was led by Mr. Sullivan of Boston, democratic leader of the house, who referred to the opponents of the bill as "political farmers."

Mr. Chapman of Ludlow, master of the state grange, requested a definition of "political farmers." Mr. Sullivan replied that he meant "the master of the state grange, who got himself elected to the house year after year, and came to the legislature to put in bills for the purpose of defeating legislation for the protection of the consumers of milk."

Mr. Chapman demanded of Mr. Sullivan what a "real farmer" was. The democratic leader retorted that a "real farmer" was "a man who tended to his farm and tried to serve the interests of the public by his products."

Mr. Chapman insisted that this was "the same old milk bill which the farmers have been fighting for years, only it had another coat on."

"It's all hush to talk of controlling out-of-state milk as is proposed in this bill," he declared.

Mr. Catheron of Beverly, Mr. Odlin of Lynn and Mr. Silverman of Boston favored the measure and Mr. Prescott of Grafton, Mr. Williams of Holden, Mr. Frail of Upton and John I. Fitzgerald of Boston opposed it.

The house refused to concur with the senate in its amendments to the bill to provide for extending the jurisdiction and functions of the civil service commission. The amendments put on by the senate have exempted almost every class of employees.

May Demand New Bill
It was well known at the state house yesterday that Gov. McCall is by no means pleased with the legislature's attitude on the bill. It is hinted that he may exercise his prerogative as chief executive and demand a measure more suited to his mind.

Mr. Allen of Newton, chairman of the public service commission, led the fight in the house yesterday. The vote on concurring with 24 yeas to 108 nays. The motion was then made for the appointment of a committee on conference and Speaker Cox appointed as that committee Messrs. Allen of Newton, Kennard of Somerville and Billes of Malden.

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OUR PRICES ARE THE LOWEST. OUR QUALITY IS THE BEST
When you are in our place take a peek into our storage box; also our freezer. Note the fine quality of the Beef, Lamb, Veal, Hogs and Poultry—then compare our prices with what you are now paying for inferior goods. **FOR TODAY.**

2500 lbs. of Fresh Country Pigs, native dressed, will be placed on our counters at extremely low prices.

Fresh Hams 18c
Fresh Hocks 12c
Fresh Shoulder Cuts 14c
Fresh Kidneys 8c
Fresh Spareribs Cuts 15c
Whole Strips Fresh Pork Loins 15c

LAMB, MUTTON, VEAL, ETC.
Hindquarter 15c | **Fore** 12½c | **Chops** 18c

BEEF
Good Cuts 12c
Rib Roasts 18c
Fine Pot Roasts 15c
Clear Beef to Stew 14c
LOBSTERS 15c Each
Salmon 18c
Sliced Halibut 12½c
Alewives 3 for 5c
Haddock 4c
LOBSTERS 23c lb.

Full Line of Fine, Fresh Fish, Salt and Smoked
Stickers 15c
Salt Bean Pork 10c
Beef Tongue 18c

SUGAR 3c—WHY PAY MORE?
5 lb. PAIL FLAKE WHITE 65c
FRESH CREAMERY BUTTER 33c
COFFEE—No. 1, 15c; No. 2, 19c; No. 3, 24c; No. 4, 32c
We Roast and Grind While You Wait.

TEAS, Regular 35c, 45c and 60c Value 25c, 35c, 50c
Rolls Oats 4c
Peas 7c
Shredded Wheat 10c
Beans 7c
Corn Flakes 6c
Tomatoes 10c
Baking Powder 4c
Sliced Peaches 12½c
Corn Starch 7c
Soups 7½c
Force 10c
Milk 7½c
D'Zerta 6c
Libby's Sauerkraut 5c
Mince Meat 6c
Oranges 10c, 20c, 30c
Bluing 6c
Bananas 10c, 15c, 20c
Macaroni 6c
Pineapples, large 8c
Spaghetti 6c
Asparagus 15c
Ketchup 6c
Parship 2c
Prunes 7c
New Squash 5c
Corn 7c
String Beans 10c

FRESH STRAWBERRIES LOWEST MARKET PRICE
See the Largest Display of Groceries, Fresh Killed Fowl, 22c, and Provisions in Lowell Today.

MONDAY MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK We Will Put on Sale in Our Big Window for 25c, all 50c Values.
Heavy Glass Wash Boards, 25c | **Heavy Clothes Lines** 25c
Heavy Cotton Mops 25c | **Heavy Large Size Brooms, 25c**

FIRST COME—FIRST SERVED

portion the cost of Wellington bridge and on the appropriation of \$600 for maintenance of the Massachusetts educational exhibit at the Panama exposition.

Committee on Auto Trip
The house ways and means committee of the Massachusetts legislature took an automobile trip to Newburyport yesterday afternoon and had dinner last evening at the Wolfe Tavern. Before dinner the members visited Rep. Samuel I. Collins, one of their number, who has been ill with rheumatism for two weeks at his Amesbury home.

To their chairman, Joseph E. Warner of Taunton, the members of the committee presented a 32-volume set of "American Statesmen."

"Some of Representative Collins' 'Statesmen,' which Mr. Warner has preserved in a printed pamphlet for the benefit of the committee, are:

"I said to my daughter when I left for the legislature, to put any character I had in the little hair trunk in the garage; I'd use it again when I got back home."

"You can frame up something good about most everything—even hell; it's warm there."

"Talk about commissions, one hand can't begin to wash the other, much less wipe it."

"There is generally plenty of rubbish in most everybody's back yard. If you care to get at it to dig it up."

"The state is the best example of 'Let George do it.'"

Pass Redistricting Bill
The state senate yesterday passed the bill to enact the redistricting bill, which provides for new lines of the senatorial, councilor and representative districts.

The income tax bill was enacted. The senate insisted on its position in favor of the bill to provide for preference to citizens for employment as teamsters and laborers on public works and to provide for the payment of the prevailing rate of wages to the same classes of public employees.

The senate passed to be engrossed the bill providing for permanent tenure of office of fire chiefs in the Metropolitan district.

It occurred in the amendment to the bill to provide for punishment of reckless drivers of motor vehicles and in the house amendment to the bill to reorganize the state board of insanity.

The committee on ways and means reported against the bill to abolish the board of hotel rules. The bill was rejected under suspension of the rules.

Two of the senate pages, Henry F. Welch of Somerville and George T. Taylor of Worcester, have been appointed by the sergeant-at-arms of the republican convention at Chicago as pages to accompany the Massachusetts delegation to Chicago.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS
The following marriage intentions have been filed at the city clerk's office since the last were published:

Wojciech Dwolaj (widowed), 17 Lakewood avenue, 27, operative; Ludwika Zaida, 40 Centre, 27, operative.

James Charles Bradley, Lawrence, 33, wine clerk; Mary E. Vaughn (widowed), 44, Merrimack, 35, spinner.

Harold F. Safford, 15 Roper, 23, U. S. Cartridge Co.; Hazel B. Webb (divorced), 77 Westford, 28, U. S. Cartridge Co.

Theodoros Teleopoulos, Stamford, Conn., 22, machinist; Kereako Lempeles, 155 Market, 19, operative.

Michael F. Ryne, 209 Worthen, 39, machinist; Della Murray, 14 Rutland, 38, domestic.

John Battersby, 46 Butler avenue, 19, U. S. Cartridge Co.; Doris Jackson, 106 Billerica, 19, Cartridge Co.

Jono Amara, Summer, 28, U. S. Cartridge Co.; Maria Perella, Summer, 17, operative.

Lorenzo Lavalley, 78 First, 13, Mass. belt shop; Alexandrine Gadoury, 13 Race, 18, twice.

Wilford Staveley, 195 Middlesex, 19, machinist; Sarah T. Hollis, 201 Wilder, 23, at home.

William H. Howe, Wilton, Me., 27, chauffeur; Alice M. Nell, 100 Fulton, 39, at home.

Karol Witalisz, 33 Front, 22, operative; Walerya Kasza, same address, 20, weaver.

Arthur Hubert, 7 Leverett, 23, U. S. Cartridge Co.; Helene Brien, 182 Perkins, 18, operative.

Arnold, 22, Ross, 65 Lundberg, 25, carpenter; Eliza Gaudette, 37 Agawam, 23, at home.

Manuel Gonsalves, Hames, 126 Charles, 23, operative; Olinda Souza Cuidra, 156 Charles, 19, operative.

Mejim K. Betrous, 7 Suffolk, 38, merchant; Mour-el Ayen G. Rody, 171 Cushing, 20, operative.

Wladyslaw Slankiewicz, 47 Davis, 23, laborer; Stanislaw Lachowska, 47 Davis, 23, operative.

Antoni Sczygla, 223 Gorham, 25, laborer; Meronka Machewicz, 3 Bent's court, 19, operative.

Joseph F. McCusker, 38 Suffolk, 31, machinist; Emma Dragon, 502 Moody, 25, window.

Thomas McDowell, 15 Washington, 25, weaver; Margaret McGuirk, 30 Myrtle, 21, weaver.

Edward Teague, 101 Pleasant, 22, woolen spinner; Della Kinnane, 23 Polk, 21, operative.

Clarence E. Whinton, 323 Parker, 21, U. S. Cartridge Co.; Mary E. Ollroy, 36 Congress, 22, at home.

Russell Batchelder, Stoddard, 63 Crawford, 24, teacher; Anne Louise Sunnic, same address, 27, nurse.

George D. Norphy, 47 Prince, 22, spinner; Demetro E. Contas, same address, 22, operative.

Stanislaw Paradowski, 10 Howard avenue, 22, laborer; Katarzyna Rosina, 6 Howard avenue, 19, operative.

Y.M.C.A. LECTURES
Three distinct lectures, illustrated with lantern slides will be given at the Y.M.C.A. next Tuesday night. Each lecture will have to do with camp life. The lectures will follow the presentation of prizes to the Y.M.C.A. athletes who have participated in the events of the morning.

The first will be by Brandon H. Kellogg of Boston, who attended both sessions of the military training at Plattsburg, N. Y., military camp last year. He will present his slides of camp life which were made from photographs taken by him during the summer months.

The second lecture will be by an officer of the association who has been in charge of the Y.M.C.A. men's camp on an island in Lake Winnepesaukee. It will be illustrated by 100 slides.

The third and last lecture will be by Thomas R. Williams, head of the boys' work at the local association who has charge of the Nabbasset camp for the past few summers.

Freckle-Face
Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots—How to Remove Easily
Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable dealer that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles while it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of ethine—double strength—from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of those homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. There is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength ethine as this is the prescription sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

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SHOES FOR
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ON THE SQUARE
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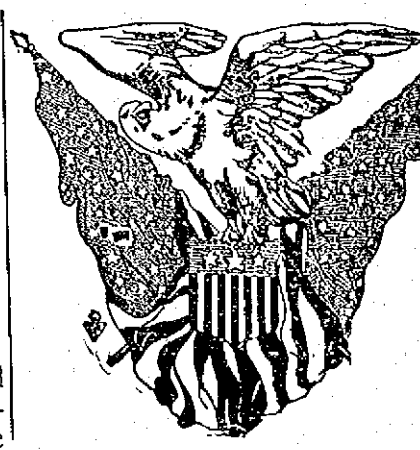
Men's and Young Men's Suits

In blue and gray serges, unfinished worsteds and flannels, in a big variety of models. The best sellers are the pinch belted back, short English form fitting, patch, crescent, slant or plain pockets. Priced from

\$8 to \$25

See Our Display of SUITS at \$15

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ASK TO SEE OUR ESPECIALLY PRICED

Extra Value SUITS

\$10 \$13 \$15
Elsewhere \$13.00 \$15.00 \$18.00

FLANNEL TROUSERS

White Flannel Pants in plain white and fine hairline stripe, most reasonably priced.

Agent for **ADLER-ROCHESTER TOWN TOGS**
Priced.....**\$15 to \$25**

Look over our new Sport and Golf Coats in flannels or knit goods. Priced.....**\$8.50**

DAYLIGHT BASEMENT

BOYS' CLOTHING

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BOYS' WASH SUITS

300 Boys' Wash Suits, made of high grade galatea, in blue, red, and tan stripes, also all white, styles are Tommy Tucker, Billy Boy and Middy suits, sizes 3 to 8 years. Regular value \$1.00. Priced **79c**

BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS

Boys' Norfolk Suits, pinch back style, pants are peg top with buttons at knee band, dark gray mixtures, sizes 6 to 16 years. Special **\$2.49** at



BOYS' BETTER GRADE SUITS

Boys' Better Grade Suits with two pair pants, in the latest styles, and fabrics, light and dark shades. **\$5.00** Special at

BOYS' TOP COATS

Boys' Top Coats for the little fellow, in blue serge, plaids and covert cloth. Special at... **\$1.98 and \$2.98**

TIME TO STEP INTO OXFORDS

A lot of fellows are finding it highly profitable and satisfactory in every way to select their footwear in our convenient street floor shoe section for men, where they are sure of expert fitting, smart styles, newest ideas, all at a logical price level.



"Elite" Dark Tan Russian Lace Oxfords, English model **\$4.00**

Black and Tan Vici "Elite" Oxfords, easy fitting last **\$4.00**

Genuine White Buck Lace Oxfords, snow flake rubber sole and heel **\$5.00**

Complete lines of "Elite" Boots and Oxfords, latest models and all leathers, \$4 and \$5

MEN'S HOSE SPECIAL

Men's fibre silk hose, in black, tan, white, navy, all sizes. Regular 19c values. Marked **12½c, 2 pairs for 25c**

MEN'S UNION SUIT SPECIAL

Men's Ozone ventilated close crotch union suits, made athletic style, knee length; a cool and comfortable garment. Regular \$1.00 value. Marked **69c**

Men's silk lisle union suits, in white, short sleeve, ankle length. Regular 75c value. Marked **59c**

SPECIAL SHIRTS FOR BIG MEN

Men's extra size negligee shirts for big men in all the newest summer patterns; made of soisette, madras and Russian cord, every shirt warranted fast color. Coat style, soft French cuff, warranted to fit any big man. Regular \$1.30 value. Marked **\$1.00**

STRAW HATS ARE RIPE



Men's Leghorn Hats, all styles and shapes, \$3.00 values. Marked **\$2.15**

EXTRA SPECIAL

Men's Sennett Hats—Very fine quality, concealed stitch, hand made, in all heights, \$1.50 value. Marked **\$1.15**

Men's Genuine Panama Hats—Hand made, in all styles and shapes, \$5.00 values. Marked **\$3.85**

Men's Genuine Panama Hats, in all styles, very light weight, \$4 values. Marked **\$2.85**

Men's Sailor Sennett and Split Straw Hats, in all the latest shapes, \$2.00 values. Marked **\$1.65**

We have the largest and best assortment of Men's Straw Hats in town, ranging in prices from **95c to \$5.00**

EVERY DAY ETIQUETTE

"Is it necessary to dress a child five years in mourning upon the death of a brother?" asked a young bereaved mother.

"No, it is not considered correct at present to dress children in mourning," said her knowing friend.

"When at dinner where finger bowls are used, how should I use them?" inquired George.

"Simply dip your fingers into the bowl and wipe them on your napkin. If necessary, you may touch your lips also with a moistened finger and wipe them with your napkin," replied his sister.

"When attending a luncheon or dinner where place cards are used, should one leave them upon the table or keep them as souvenirs?" asked Jane.

"Place cards should be retained, because the hostess has had them prepared in expectation of their being

husband of the lady who the host is escorting," advised her aunt.

"Should a widow use her husband's initials or name or her own on her cards?" asked the young widow.

"Legally a widow has no right to use her husband's initials or name, but public sentiment is in favor of allowing her to do so," said her social mentor.

"When walking on the street with a friend and we meet another friend of mine who stops just a minute or two, is it correct for me to introduce the two strangers?" inquired Joe.

"It is seldom necessary to introduce one's friends if only a short pause is made. If, however, the conversation seems likely to be prolonged then introductions should be made," replied his father.

Mrs. Harriet M. Martin, of New Castle, N. H., who is now 92 years of age, enjoys the distinction of being the oldest office girl in the country. She takes care of the office of a doctor who has offices in her home.

SUMMER TROLLEY SCHEDULE

Summer schedule of the Massachusetts Northeastern Street Railway company goes into effect on the Salem division tomorrow. This includes trolley service between Haverhill, Lawrence, Lowell, Mass.; Salem, Canobie Lake park, Nashua, Hudson and Peabody, N. H.

A Beauty Secret

To have clear skin, bright eyes, and a healthy appearance, your digestion must be good—your bowels and liver kept active and regular. Assistance—take

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World, Sold everywhere. In boxes 10c, 25c.

VILLA LEADER KILLED

Two Mexicans and One American Killed in Battle South of Cruces—Bandits Routed

FIELD HEADQUARTERS, NEAR NAMIQUEPA, Mex., May 26, via radio to Columbus, N. M., May 26.—Candelario Corvantes, the Villa bandit leader, was killed in a battle south of Cruces today.

Another Mexican, Jose Bencomore, and an American were wounded. Corvantes came after he had made a surprise attack south of Cruces on the American engine repelling the motor truck road. He was beaten back and pursued into the hills by the engineers, who had been reinforced by a detachment of the Seventh Infantry.

When the engagement began the bandits outnumbered the Americans 2 to 1, there being 20 of them. The engagement lasted almost an hour. The reinforcements from the 17th Infantry came and the bandits broke for the hills.

Private George O. Hulitt was the hero of the fight. His rifle laid low two of the bandits killed. Corvantes' home was in Namiquipa. He has been a thorn in the side of the army in northern Chihuahua ever since the expedition began, as he had succeeded in evading persistent cavalry searches. His death probably means the breaking up of the Villa followers in this section.

Gen. Pershing was gratified over the latest fight, saying that there now remain only a few scattered bands to be hunted down.

COURT MARTIAL OF MILITIA

MEN AT SAN ANTONIO

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 26.—The names of five officers of the regular army and eight officers of the militia have been forwarded to Washington by Gen. Pershing for the approval of President Wilson for the approval of the court martial board before which members of the Texas militia who did not sign the

oath of allegiance were tried.

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ARE WITHDRAWN

MEXICO CITY, May 26.—Foreign Minister Aguilar issued a statement today saying that, in spite of the agreement made by Gen. Scott with Gen. Obregon, that no more American troops would cross the border, four hundred soldiers of the United States had entered Mexican territory in pursuit of bandits near Boquilla. The statement says that these troops have now been withdrawn from Mexican soil.

ROOSEVELT CHARGED WITH ATTEMPT TO FOMENT WAR

MEXICO CITY, May 26.—The government newspapers in their editorials today make savage attacks on the policy of the United States in Latin America which they denounce as imperialistic and hypocritical. Colonel Roosevelt is charged with attempting to foment war and the papers assert that Pres. Wilson is unable to cope with this "campaign of the republican party." One of the principal administration organs says:

"The Mexican nation cannot permit itself to be made the tool of Yankee felony or submit to the corruption of American gold. The American conspirators are aided by the machinations of Mexicans who desire to see Gen. Scott in the national palace, tutor of a government presided over by Calero Angeles, Gamboa and de la Garza."

Taft URGES WORLD COURT

Continued

to Enforce Peace of which he is president.

Mr. Taft's address was closely confined to the technical legal questions involved in joining by the United States in such an international tribunal.

He denied that such action would curtail the power and authority of the United States or Congress by limiting the constitutional discretion of the latter body to declare war.

Mr. Taft explained that the league's platform proposes compulsory submission to the world court of an international dispute not settled by diplomatic negotiation and which are "justiciable questions."

Referring to the so-called Bryan peace treaties with England and France, Mr. Taft said it was argued that the arbitration stipulation in them was a delegation of the authority of the president and senate over our foreign relations.

"But on reason and authority this objection is untenable," said Mr. Taft. Since the Jay treaty of 1794, Mr. Taft said, some American nation had been a party to 34 international treaties of which the United States was involved in two-thirds. "In ten of these, which were boundary treaties," Mr. Taft continued, "it was never suggested that the government was delegating any power at all to the tribunal. A submission of a judicial question is not a delegation of power to an agent—it is a submission of an issue to a judge and it is a misnomer to call such a submission a delegation."

"The question whether a court has jurisdiction is nothing but a question of law. The senate has consented from time to time to arbitrations on issues both arising and defined by language of the treaty of submission. The last time, in the case of the Alabama, which involves a really permanent court, is the advice and consent by our senate to the Hague international prize court convention in which a permanent international prize court was established."

Turning to the question of the duty of a nation belonging to the proposed world court to use the army and navy in enforcing its decrees upon other members that should go to war in defiance of the court's decrees, Mr. Taft took issue with former Secretary of State Bryan regarding Mr. Bryan's contention that a constitutional amendment would be necessary before the United States would obligate itself in any nation.

"Mr. Bryan declared that in order to carry out the provision we must have a joint council of the powers to determine when the time has arrived for military action and war," said Mr. Taft, "and that this would substitute the action of the council for the discretion of congress. I venture to think that this view is wholly without foundation. If the war is a foreign war it could not be begun under the constitution until congress had declared war. To impose in a constitutional way by treaty an obligation on congress does not take away its power to discharge it or to refuse to discharge it."

Referring to this nation's treaty with Panama, guaranteeing Panama's independence, Mr. Taft stated it meant the United States is under obligation to make war to defend Panama.

"This duty can only be discharged through the action of congress in declaring war," he asserted. "Does that deprive congress of its power to decide to deal with the matter as the question answers itself."

With Cuba a similar situation is presented, said the former president. Speakers referred only incidentally to methods of ending the present war, since the league's program includes only the minimizing of future conflicts and questions which might be adjudicated by an international court. All urged that the United States become a party to the suggested agreement. They pointed out that war might not be abolished, but it would be curtailed for the international league would allow combat only if the court's decree were not accepted by any nation.

Thomas Raeburn White of Philadelphia, in an address sought to answer arguments advanced against the league's plan.

Edward A. Filene of Boston, declared European nations at the end of the present war, would be favorable to the League to Enforce Peace.

"They do not trust in the permanence of the present alliances for mutual protection in the future," he said. "Wars between the members of an alliance over opposing national interests are apparently inevitable, unless there is provided some method other than war to deal with the differences which are bound to arise."

Other speakers on today's program were Oscar S. Straus of New York,

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles W. Work, late of Lowell in said County, deceased, Intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Weldon L. Work of Lowell in the County of Middlesex, and said Court has appointed said Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of June A. D. 1916, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register, Middlesex ss. Probate Court.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Peter Hetu, late of Lowell in said County, deceased, Intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Henry Hetu of Lowell, in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the thirty-first day of May A. D. 1916, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

F. M. ESTY, Asst. Register, Middlesex ss. Probate Court.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary Pavia, otherwise known as Maria Pavia and Mary Pavia, late of Lowell in said County, deceased, Intestate.

Whereas, Ernest J. Bradley, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell at public auction the whole or a part of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the first day of May A. D. 1916, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petition is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. D. Ring, Atty. Sun Bldg., Middlesex ss. Probate Court.

VERIFICATION OF DEPOSIT BOOKS. In every Massachusetts Savings Bank is required by law this year.

DEPOSITORS IN THE CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK. Will please present their books for verification in April, May or June. Books sent in by mail will be promptly returned.

member of The Hague court; Hamilton Holt of New York; editor of the Independent; Prof. George Grafton Wilson of Harvard university; Talcott Williams, director of Columbia university school of journalism; John Bates Clark of New York, director of a department in the Carnegie endowment for international peace; R. G. Thett of Charleston, S. C., president of the chamber of commerce of the United States; Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and Oliver Wilson, of Peoria, Ill., president of the National garage.

IMPORTANT SPEECH BY WILSON. WASHINGTON, May 26.—President

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PUPS—American bull terrier pups for sale. 817 East Merrimack street. DUMP CART for sale. Good second-hand two-horse dump cart. Inquire 242 Middlesex street. Tel. 1666-J.

RUNABOUT for sale. 1914 Metz Runabout, \$125. For sale also, 1914 Harley-Davidson chain driven, single motorcycle, fully equipped, \$55; both in good condition. North-east started for Ford car, \$10, model 1. 1 1/2 inch; Schindler carburetor, \$400. Agent B. & M. R.R. North Billerica, Mass.

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IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

Wilson has confided to his advisers, it was learned today, that he hopes to make an address before the League to Enforce Peace here tomorrow night which will be of importance in connection with peace.

While he is expected to deal primarily with a discussion of methods of maintaining peace after the European war has ended, it is understood he will also touch upon the immediate situation abroad.

Mr. Wilson has practically completed his speech. As a rule the president writes out few of his speeches in advance but officials said today he wanted to prepare this one carefully because he realizes the importance of the subject.

The president will sit through the banquet of the league at which he will speak, instead of following his usual custom of arriving just in time for the speaking. He wants to learn as much as possible about the purposes of the league as he agrees with its general object of forming a league of nations, backed by a common police force to maintain the peace of the world.

Former President Taft, president of the league, will sit next to Mr. Wilson during the banquet and introduce him.

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OLD ORCHARD BEACH Cottages, studio, hotels, lunch room, restaurant, ice cream parlor, barber shop, theatre, dance hall, rooming house and farms for sale or to let, by W. M. Davis, Old Orchard, Me.

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A ROOM COTTAGE for sale, in Dracut, 14000 ft. of land, \$100. Price \$1400. D. F. Leary, over Owl Theatre.

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COTTAGE of 8 rooms for sale on South End at Salisbury beach; gas and water; six minutes walk from centre. 228 Park st., Lawrence, Mass.

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Judge Gary Speaks on "Momentous Questions" Before Iron and Steel Institute

NEW YORK, May 25.—Declaring that the United States was rapidly becoming the leader among the nations of the world and that it was "high time for every one to understand that a large majority of the people of the United States will insist upon the utilization of every facility to protect and to honorably further the interests of their own country," Judge Elbert H. Gary spoke here today at the annual meeting of the American Iron and Steel Institute on what he considered "momentous questions."

"There are now confronting the people of this country," he said, "certain momentous questions. They involve life, liberty and happiness. They are under discussion by the most talented writers and speakers and they are in the thoughts and mouths of the multitudes. It is likely opportunity will be given to the voters to give expression to their views in the near future relating to some of these questions. The large majority have a friendly feeling toward business success, large or small, so long as it is decently and fairly conducted."

"We believe thoroughly in the regulation and restraint of business in such a way as to prevent harm and injury to the public interest, but we do not agree that the proper way to prevent harm is to destroy the agencies which may be and generally are utilized for the promotion of good."

"The government and the business men should work in harmony with reference to these matters."

"Our export business is large and increasing. The total exports for March of this year were \$11,476,638 in value, an increase of \$114,864,736 over March, 1915. The total for the nine months ending March 31 was \$2,937,172,472, an increase of \$1,065,094,693 over the total for the same period of the preceding year."

"The markets of the world are multiplying in number and increasing in importance. We are hoping for open markets in every country. We have not heretofore had our proportionate share of this trade. One reason for the limited amount of our export business in the past is found in the lack of ships owned, controlled and operated by Americans. We have been more or less subjected to the domination of foreigners having the ownership or control of ships and who are interested directly or indirectly in business competing with us."

"When the present wars are ended these conditions will be even worse than they have ever been before unless they are adopted laws or amendments that will place our merchant marine practically on an equality with that of other nations."

"We are in favor of peace for our nation; not at any price, but we would if necessary, pay liberally for it. We would fight any other nation but only defensively. However, we do not wish for war and we believe it is not necessary to engage in it with any European nation or nations."

"So anxious are our people to avoid trouble and to maintain a peace feeling, they are willing to submit, temporarily, and until the minds of hot heads have had time to become cool and collected, to many acts seemingly unfriendly and even to sneers and insults, before they will assume an offensive attitude and run the risk of precipitating a war unnecessarily. This is a strong statement but it represents the real attitude of a large majority of our people. They sincerely believe we shall get through and come out of the apparent shadows of doubt and distrust, the clouds of gloom that at times have been very black and threatening, without war."

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In the process of settlement of the estate of the late Miss Rogers there will be offered at public auction, irrespective of weather conditions, this high grade residential parcel. The location is most desirable, being directly on Nesmith street, opposite from Park Garden and within ten minutes walk of Merrimack square.

The house is full 2½ story with six fine large square rooms and one smaller room. The floors downstairs are hardwood throughout, for the most part being of the finest quartered oak. The house is equipped with bath, hot water, furnace heat and set wash trays and has two open fireplaces.

There is an excellent piece of land approximating 6000 square feet. There is also on the premises a good stable which could be readily altered into a garage if so desired.

Herein is presented a most unusual opportunity, for it is rare for a property of this grade and character in this location to be offered at public auction.

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INJURED IN FOOD RIOT

18 WOMEN WOUNDED IN FIGHT AT FRANKFORD-ON-THAINE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

LONDON, May 26.—An Amsterdam despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. says that 18 women were wounded in a fight between the police and food rioters at Frankfort-on-the-Main on Wednesday night, according to a despatch received at The Hague.

The riot is said to have started owing to a shortage of meat in the local butcher shops. Three hundred and fifty women who had been told there was no meat for them, marched through the streets carrying black flags and singing socialist songs.

The women forced their way into one butcher shop, although it was guarded by soldiers and policemen. After a search they found some meat which they cut up and continued their march holding the pieces above their heads.

The police attempted to take the riot from the women and a general fight followed in which the officers used their swords. One woman was arrested for shouting "Down with the emperor."

A local paper which referred to the affair was ordered suspended for two months.

and with the respect and confidence of all the European nations. We desire to have our administration at Washington maintain a strictly neutral attitude concerning the belligerent nations.

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"If the United States is to assume and maintain the important position among nations that has been thrust upon her, she must be possessed of the same elements of power and strength that other nations have. She must be prepared to protect her commerce on the seas. She must be ready to support other nations in the insistence that the ports of all foreign friendly nations shall remain free and open to all. And even more important to consider, we would be able to exert a

POWERFUL INFLUENCE IN AIDING AND EVEN COMPELLING INTERNATIONAL PEACE.

In closing, Judge Gary said: "There is not intended to be nor is there any question of politics involved in what has been said, notwithstanding there may be differences of opinion held by persons of different political parties concerning some of the points discussed. It is believed a strong and dominant public sentiment will bring about a regard for honest business success, beneficial to all the people of this country, and necessary laws and administration of laws to promote and protect it; the maintenance of permanent peace, industrial as well as social; and the sufficient preparedness to insure both."

"The steel industry is good; better than ever before. There have recently been publications to the effect that there is a falling off in new orders and this may be true to a slight extent, but the daily bookings generally are larger in volume than the total producing capacity, and as the unfinished orders on hand are sufficient to keep the mills busy for the remainder of this calendar year and a large portion of 1917 there is not much, if any, cause for concern on the part of manufacturers for the next twelve months at least."

"We could hope that we had been permitted to continue co-operation on a basis that would have influenced greater stability in prices, higher in times of depression and lower in times of great activity, for it would have been satisfactory and beneficial to both producer and consumer and to their employees; but circumstances, over which we had no control, brought about a change in this particular. Public sentiment may bring about restoration of the former and better methods. Who can tell?"

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HIGH SCHOOL REGIMENT

ELIMINATION DRILL HELD ON THE SOUTH COMMON TODAY—GIRLS REHEARSE TOMORROW

With only another day in which to prepare for the annual field day exercises to be held at Spaulding park on Monday afternoon, the members of the boys' regiment of the local high school marched to the South common this afternoon where an elimination or "knockout" drill was held.

The regular school session was held during the morning hours with the exception of the fourth hour which was omitted, and school was dismissed at 2 o'clock the regiment formed in full dress at the annex in Paige street and marched to the common, headed by the life and drum corps and Col. Herbert T. Kerrihan.

The company elimination drill took place shortly after the arrival of the regiment at the common, the companies appearing in the following order: C. D. E. A. H. E. F. G. K. M. I. and L. After this drill about 200 members of the regiment endeavored to qualify in the individual prize drill, which usually comprises about 15 students. Three officers of the local militia acted as judges.

Girls' Battalions—Tomorrow morning the girls of the four battalions and also the freshmen girls will board special cars for Spaulding park where a special rehearsal for field day will be held under the direction of Miss Ethel K. Cleaves, teacher of calisthenics.

On Monday all the students will be dismissed at an early hour with the exception of the freshmen classes which will gather in the assembly hall where memorial exercises will be held. The boys' regiment will start from the annex at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and march to Spaulding park, while the girls will ride to the park in special cars.

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TAFT URGES WORLD COURT TO PREVENT WAR

Plan of League to Enforce Peace Would Not Curtail the Power of President and Congress

WASHINGTON, May 26.—American advocates of an international federation to avert war after the present European struggle, met here today for the first assembly of the new League to Enforce Peace. William Howard Taft, president of the league, and Newton D. Baker, secretary of war, were on the day's program and President Wilson's address at the closing session tomorrow night will be a significant utterance, it is thought. About 2000 persons, including presidents of universities, railroads, commercial, labor and farm organizations, attended the meeting.

Taft's Address
Acceptance of membership by the United States in a world court in which the joint powers would use armed and economic forces to enforce its decrees in the interest of international peace, was urged today by former President Taft before the League.

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COLEMAN FREE IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

The Cambridge Bank Wrecker Released From Jail Today

GREENFIELD, May 26.—George W. Coleman, of Cambridge, whose thefts of \$100,000 while bookkeeper of the National City bank of Cambridge forced that institution to suspend, was released from the jail here today on receipt of official orders from the federal grand jury. That body, it was announced yesterday, voted to release Coleman, who has served six years of a 15-year sentence.

Good behavior reduced this term to ten years and the papers of parole stipulate that the former bookkeeper shall remain within the jurisdiction of this state until June, 1920. Coleman said today that he planned to go to work for his father, Walter G. Coleman, a coal dealer, of Cambridge. "I shall live a straight life. I know its value now," he said.

Coleman did not leave the jail immediately on the arrival of the papers, but awaited relatives with whom he was to return home by automobile.

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BODY OF UNKNOWN MAN AWAITS IDENTIFICATION AT HIGGINS BROS.—FOUND FLOATING

The body of an unknown man was found floating in Hale's brook in the rear of Horne's coal yard at about 7 o'clock this morning. Police officers were notified and they brought the body to the shore and later had it removed to the funeral chambers of Undertakers Higgins Bros., in Lawrence street.

A description of the body follows: Height, 5 feet and 9 inches; weight, 155 pounds; hair, dark. Black suit with a modest suit such as "James" in blue pencil, the last name on the envelope being erased. The man was about 35 or 40 years of age.

Identified
The body has been identified as that of James Keating.

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Written by Delphine Lee, High School Com. Dept., May 24th.

PRES. WILSON ANXIOUS TO RESTORE PEACE IN EUROPE

Preparing to Do Everything Possible to Bring About Discussion of Peace Between Belligerent Nations—Convinced War is Deadlocked

WASHINGTON, May 26.—President Wilson is giving more serious consideration to the possibility of restoring peace to Europe than at any time since the outbreak of the war. From an authoritative source it was learned today that the president is preparing to do everything possible in an informal way to bring about the discussion of peace between belligerent nations, although he has not indicated intention immediately to offer his services formally as mediator. His address tomorrow night before the League to Enforce Peace is expected to be in the nature of a preliminary overture.

The president is convinced the war is deadlocked and that continuance merely means the killing of more people and the further impoverishment of European nations, both belligerent and neutral.

Through various channels Mr. Wilson has kept in close touch with the development of peace prospects. It is understood he will convey a message to his audience tomorrow night which is certain to be read with deep interest by representatives of foreign governments and by the peoples of the warring nations.

The president is understood to have an open mind on the question of just when he should renew formal offers of mediation.

Mr. Wilson's closest advisers believe the rulers of warring nations because of their close relationship, even kinship, will have as important a part in restoring peace as the ministry of their governments.

The president takes the position, it was authoritatively stated, that the neutrals of the world, as much as belligerents have a right to participate in and, if possible, initiate peace negotiations because of the economic results already developed and those which will follow the conflict.

The president has been deeply interested in the growth of peace talk among responsible officials in several of the belligerent nations during the last three weeks. He has read and filed away recent speeches by President Poincaré of France, Sir Edward Grey, foreign minister of Great Britain and Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg of Germany. He has conveyed the impression to those who have talked with him that he thinks the continuance of such discussions is bound to have its effect in restoring peace, despite the belligerent attitude taken by some of the officials.

The president has indicated that he is desirous that the United States show its friendship for all of the nations involved by contending for a peace which will be fair to all of them and protect each from being crushed or humiliated. Mr. Wilson is understood to agree with a suggestion that a peace following a decisive defeat of one nation or group would create only lasting hatred and sow seeds of future conflicts.

WAITE TOLD ALIENIST HE INTENDED TO KILL WIFE

Said He Married Her for Money—Did Not Intend to Stop at Anything to Gain His End—Waite Declared He Did Not Think He Was Crazy and Denied Saying "Man From Egypt" Killed His Father-in-Law

NEW YORK, May 26.—Dr. Arthur W. Waite told an alienist engaged for his defense in his trial for the murder of his father-in-law, John E. Peck, a Grand Rapids, Mich., millionaire, that he had intended to kill his wife, Clara Peck Waite, and that he married her only for her money, according to testimony given by Dr. Morris J. Karpas, the alienist, today. Dr. Karpas added that Waite said he did not intend to stop at anything to gain his ends.

"Previously Waite had said on the stand he 'was not sure that he would not have killed his wife,'" Waite declared he did not think he was crazy and denied that he had at any time pretended that he was insane. He declared that he had ever told prosecutors that "the man from Egypt" had killed Mr. Peck, and swore that he slept perfectly after the murder. He declared that he had wanted to kill himself and "made a pretty good attempt at it."

Accused of planning to leave the country with Mrs. Margaret Horton, he said he "did not know" they were going away. Dr. Waite declined to admit that he had made himself appear worse than he was in order to convince the jury that he was insane.

The alienist for Waite testified that he did not appear to be mentally well and that he was abnormal in that all his interests were centered in himself.

"Waite gave me the impression of marked egotism as being an egomaniac in a marked degree," said Dr. Karpas. Waite told him he did not take his first proposal to Clark Peck very seriously, that his object in marrying her was to obtain social position and financial standing and that he was not accustomed to having girls refuse to marry him but to accept him right away.

"Waite told me he intended to kill his wife as soon as they got to New York," continued the alienist. "He said he knew he would stop at nothing to gain his end. I discovered a lack of moral sense. He thought only of himself."

Waite admitted to him, said Dr. Karpas, that he made all sorts of excuses to get away from home and meet Mrs. Horton.

"I am just as all right as you are," Waite said to him. "I don't realize I am in prison. I am happy. I don't see why they make such a fuss about it. Mrs. Waite was not so foolish. She was not my equal. I wanted to use her money and I expected to study and accomplish great things. I expect to go to the chair. I have always been required by my vocation."

As evidence of Waite's peculiar emotional nature, Dr. Karpas said the dentist told him that when John E. Peck arrived here after the death of his wife by Waite's hand, Waite was able to look Mr. Peck directly in the eye and try to comfort him.

While Dr. Karpas was testifying, Waite leaned his elbows on the table and dozed.

WOMEN EXCLUDED
NEW YORK, May 26.—Could a sane man commit the series of crimes confessed by Dr. Arthur Warren Waite? This question confronted the jury Continued to page seven

HUNTING FOR MURDERER
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NEWS FROM CITY HALL AND THE DEPARTMENTS

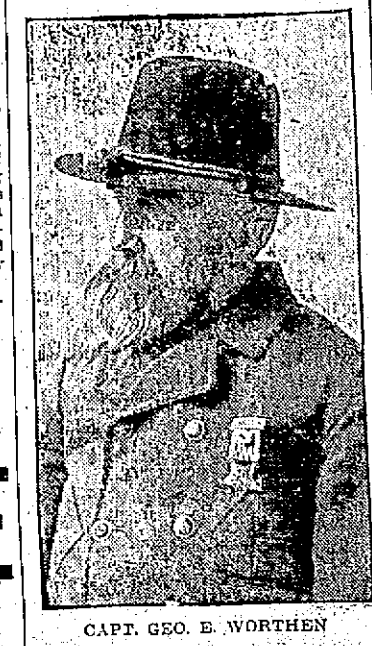
Captain George Worthen Congratulated on 73rd Birthday—Street Hearings This Evening

The most talked about thing at city hall today was the fact that this day marks the 73rd milestone in Capt. Geo. E. Worthen's journey over the highway of life. Capt. Worthen is the superintendent of state aid and he is really the grand old man of city hall. But don't let him hear you say it out loud, tell you that he is 73 years young.

There is no more genial man in Lowell than the same Captain Worthen. Previous to becoming superintendent of state aid, which position he took up in 1903, he had been connected with the water department in a clerical capacity for twenty-one years. He is quite familiar with all months as he had been years in the war. His father had a grocery store in Lowell at the time and occupied a building opposite city hall.

About two weeks after arriving at Plymouth, N. H., Mr. Worthen's father was taken sick and the soldier boy had to come to Lowell and buckle down to a grocery business.

Capt. Worthen has been chosen chief of staff for the Memorial day parade and when The Sun man called at his continued to page ten



CAPT. GEO. E. WORTHEN

CHILD SCALDED

Little One Fell Into Boiling Water—May Die From Burns

John James Fletcher, aged four years, was probably fatally burned this morning as a result of falling into a tub of scalding water at the house of his parents, 3 Union street. He was badly burned about the back and little hope is entertained for his recovery.

The boy's mother was washing clothes and a tub filled with boiling water was placed on the floor and while the woman's back was turned the child in some unaccountable manner fell into the water.

The ambulance was summoned and the little one was taken to St. John's hospital where everything possible was done to alleviate his suffering and save his life but the doctors entertain little hope for his recovery.

Dance with the Chippewas tonight

FELL FROM A BUILDING

ROY MORRILL SERIOUSLY INJURED WHILE PAINTING HOUSE ON WESTFORD STREET

Roy Morrill, employed as painter by Gardner E. Buckland, fell from a building in Westford street on which he was working about 10.30 o'clock this morning and was seriously injured. The ambulance was summoned and he was taken to St. John's hospital where he is now under treatment. Morrill resides at 201 Middlesex street.

George Marlin suffered an injury to his back at the Lowell Textile school this morning. He was taken to the Lowell hospital where he received treatment. He resides at 317 Bridge street.

ON KIDNAPPING CHARGE

EDITOR SWORE OUT COMPLAINT AGAINST LAWRENCE OFFICERS—HEARING SET FOR JUNE 7

LAWRENCE, May 26.—Joseph J. Editor, Industrial Workers of the World organizer, who led the big textile strike in this city in 1912 and who claims he was driven out of Lawrence by the police last Monday after he had come here to take charge of the strike of loomfixers at the Pacific mills, today filed a complaint in the district court here charging City Marshal Maurice F. McKenna, Lieut. Charles R. Vose and Inspectors Patrick Morrissey and Charles R. Woodcock with kidnapping. Judge Mahoney set Wednesday, June 7, as the date for a hearing in the case.

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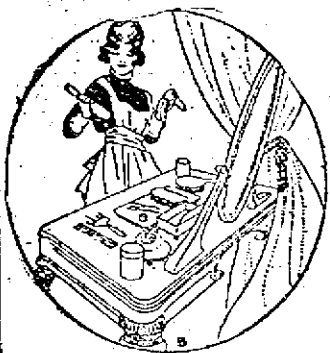
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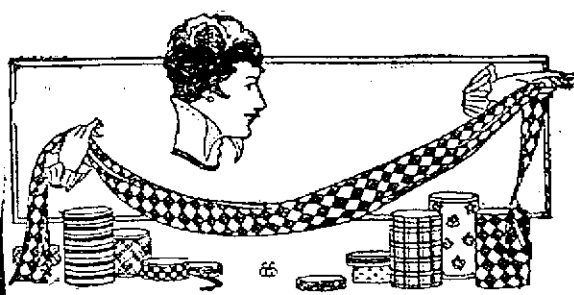
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In years gone by, the Memorial day parades were confined to the members of the Grand Army posts, the militia, Sons of Veterans and the high school regiments, but as the ranks of the veterans have gradually diminished more reverence has been paid them by the public generally, and on each succeeding year while the number of survivors of the war in line has continued to grow less the parades themselves have grown larger, for year by year, some additional organization has been proud of the privilege of doing honor to the defenders of the country by appearing in the Memorial day parade.

This year the police department will furnish an escort, on Memorial day. In former years a police detail of perhaps one dozen men would lead the parade but this year all members of the department who are not on duty, at the request of Mayor O'Donnell, will appear in line, and hence as probably some 55 or 90 men will turn out, they will make an imposing appearance.

Quarter of a century ago there were no Spanish War veterans, and the Grand Army men had the day to themselves. In the morning of Memorial day, quarter of a century ago, the members of Post 155 journeyed to Chelmsford where they decorated the graves of the deceased veterans of that town.

Following this labor of love and respect, they marched to the town hall where dinner was served by the ladies of the town and an address was made by E. W. Thompson. In the afternoon they returned to Lowell to participate in the local observance. The different posts visited the cemeteries in the early afternoon, and then assembled at the South common for the parade. The bands and the music assembled at the common and under the leadership of James A. Murphy, leader of Post 42 Drum corps, gave a program as a consolidated band. Then followed the usual parade and the exercises at the Ladd and Whitney monument, followed by the camp-fires in the different post halls. In the evening, the day was closed with exercises in Huntington hall which consisted of concert by the Allen Cornet band of Billerica, singing by a quartet, an address by Alderman Jeremiah Crowley, and an oration by Col. Henry Stone of Boston.

The roster of the parade of quarter of a century ago was as follows:

Allen's Cornet band
Chief marshal, G. E. Pinkham
Chief of staff, George E. Worthen
Aids: Battalion of militia, Capt. O. M. Morris, acting major, Lieut. A. R. Prince, adjutant, C. Co., Sixth regiment, Capt. W. H. Bean; G. Co., Sixth regiment, Lieut. George A. Lull; K. Co., Sixth regiment, Lieut. A. D. Millett; D. Co., Second Corps, Cadets, Capt. W. H. Hosmer; High school battalion, Capt. W. N. Shaw, acting major.

Post 42 Drum Corps
Post 42, G.A.R., Major E. T. Rowell in command, four companies, in command of C. E. Kimball, Lieut. J. M. Anderson, Capt. Patrick F. Brady; Lieut. F. Cusack; Capt. J. F. Slater; Lieut. C. H. Goodman; Capt. J. J. Donnelly, Lieut. B. McCabe.

Post 120, commanded by Commander E. R. Fife; four companies, Capt. W. A. Fife; Lieut. E. R. Pond; Capt. G. H. Nutting; Capt. F. W. Glover.

Talbot Mills Band
Post 155, under command of Commander A. W. Weeks; Capt. Charles H. Richardson; Lieut. G. A. Robb; Lieut. C. W. S. Pevey; Lieut. S. C. Bullen; Capt. F. B. Peabody, Capt. G. T. Woodward, Lieut. A. L. Stevens, color-bearer, J. E. Thorne, and Whitney banner, James Coffin; color guard, Ames Winters, W. A. Kneeland, K. C. Hutchinson, S. M. Bell.

Sons of Veterans in command of Capt. S. E. Pickering.
Carriages containing Rev. Dr. Thomas, Rev. Dr. Court and Rev. H. T. Rose and disabled veterans.

Lowell Team of '01
Says The Sun of quarter of a century ago:

"If Conway doesn't put up a better game at first base, either Ed. Gallagher or John King will have to play the base."

The Conway referred to was Dick Conway, the erstwhile big league pitcher who when his arm went bad attempted to continue in the game, playing first, but with little success at that particular time. Ed. Gallagher is the well known liquor dealer, who was interested in the team while John King was John "Calhoun" King, then financial secretary of the Lowell baseball association. "Police Officer" Tom Whitaker was one of the "angels," whose wings were clipped in this particular year, in the interest of the great and glorious game. After two years of wonderful baseball in Lowell, in '87 and '88, the game began to go bad in '89 and in 1890 there was no league team in Lowell. In 1891, however, some of the dead-game followers of the sport decided to get back into the little old N. E. league, and diso, and they immediately got together a team, regardless of expense, for some of the players were signed to get \$250 and \$300 per month, and did get it while there was any to get, which was up to the Fourth of July. The league that year consisted of Lowell, Manchester, Lynn, Salem, Worcester, Portland, Lewiston and Woonsocket. The newspapers were quite skeptical as to the success of the team and hence said but little about it, giving more space to the Mathews, who had a particularly strong team that year. Then the fans, particularly those around the commons, were sore and continually panned the management for going out of town for high priced players and not giving local players a chance. There were a few Lowell players on the team, but they were not given any fancy figure, for wages. Charlie Farrell broke in that year, and received the munificent sum of \$75 per month for his services, while Mike Bradley, the Lawrence infidel, got away with \$250 per month. Pat Nestor, player with the team for a short time that year, and Gene Stoughton, the catcher, was a Lowell boy. Some time when you run across Pat Nestor ask him if he remembers Long Tom Flanagan, the pitcher of those days, and probably Pat will tell you some good yarns about Long Tom. Tony Hart, of Fitchburg, broke into the game that year, as a catcher, but in later years played shortstop for Lowell.

King Made Joe Kelly
And while mentioning this Lowell team of 1901 I am reminded of the following story that was told to me not long ago. A Lowell man while travelling in Canada a few years ago, attended a game at either Montreal or Toronto, and after the game was introduced to Joe Kelly, of Baltimore, and the well known magnate of the old Eastern and subsequent International league. Upon learning that the visitor was from Lowell, Joe immediately remarked:

"Is my old friend John King, the old time baseball man still on earth?"

"He's very much on earth," replied the Lowell man, "he's working for the city, in the elections department."

"Well," said Kelly, "I can never forget John King, of Lowell, for I

owe my success in the baseball world to him."

And he spoke the truth. When John King succeeded the late Martin Courtney as financial secretary of the Lowell team, one of his duties was to look around for players, provided he didn't look too far away, as the team couldn't afford to pay a scout any fancy price in those times. At that time there was a number of very strong semi-professional teams in the vicinity of Boston, among which were the Millers of Wakefield, the John P. Lovell's and the Boston Woven Hose teams, all of which will be readily recalled by the old time fans. On this Woven Hose team was Joe Kelly, a young pitcher who was cleaning them all up, and John King having surveyed him with critical eye decided that he would go great on the Lowell team, with the usual proviso, that he wouldn't want too much money. John got Kelly's ear, and Kelly came to Lowell for the sum of \$35 per month, and he pitched good ball for the season. He was an all-around player, who liked the game, and he knew how to bat, and King was of the opinion that Kelly had a future before him, though not as a pitcher. The team went to smash in July and when it broke up, John C. King gave Joe Kelly some fatherly advice, telling him to cut out the pitching and get a position elsewhere on the team, and promising to speak for him, to Frank Seely, who then was in control of the Boston Nationals. On King's recommendation, Seely gave Kelly a try-out with the Nationals, playing him in right field. John went down to Boston to see his protégé make his debut with the big fellows and had the pleasure of seeing him make good. Kelly went from Boston to Baltimore where he became manager of the team, and he is in the game today, with plenty of the long green in his pocket, due to the fine start and long-headed advice given him by John C. King and his own ability to improve a good opportunity.

Musicians' Summer Engagements

Quarter of a century ago, there were no all the year round movie shows in Lowell, and but one summer resort, in the immediate vicinity of the city, to demand the services of local musicians and hence each year there was an exodus of the professional musicians from Lowell to the different summer engagements. In those days the American orchestra which was organized and directed for many years by Prof. Emil Borjes, and which still retains its name and many of its original members, had a steady theatrical engagement for the fall and winter at the Lowell Opera House, then at the height of its success, as the producer of leading attractions. But when the Opera House closed for the summer, the orchestra disbanded temporarily, the members seeking themselves to various concertal shows and engagements where they remained until it was time to return home for the reopening of the theatre. Hence The Sun of quarter of a century ago under the headline: "Lowell Musicians Off for the Summer" had the following:

"Emil J. Borjes, W. H. Valentine, Joseph T. Jeannotte, R. W. McDaniell, C. J. Searies and O. B. Parks, of the American orchestra, will play on the new steamer Plymouth of the Fall River line, Emil Lavigne, C. B. Hill, G. E. Bryant, James Larkin will play on the steamer Providence of the same line. W. A. Owen, Fred Bryant and Charles Young have been engaged at Centre Harbor; E. H. Aitken goes to Redfield Springs; N. Y. and C. S. Sturtevant will play with Hooper's band, at Fall River."

Changes in "The Square"

As Merrimack square has taken on a more metropolitan aspect than ever, with its newly installed semaphore in position, so it did quarter of a century ago when the street car lines consolidated and began running belt line cars through the square. The old Sun said of the change:

"The change in the mode of running the street cars has caused some confusion in the past week, but when people get thoroughly acquainted with the system, it will be found decidedly preferable to that just abandoned. The square at Prescott street is now relieved of the blockade of cars and the continuous passage of cars gives it a somewhat metropolitan appearance. The passage between any two points in the city can, with few exceptions, be made faster now than formerly on the street cars."

And they thought the square had taken on a metropolitan aspect quarter of a century ago, just because the street cars, after coming into it, departed by way of Prescott street. Instead of stopping, shifting horses and returning the way they came. In those days, the old Wellman block, which has changed in name only—the Grosvenor—in quarter of a century, was the most imposing building in Merrimack square. The Rineels building and the Howe building, across the street, hadn't been completed, while The Sun building was a two-story affair. Page's and the Chalfour buildings were not dreamed of in those days, and in their places were ramshackle two and three-story affairs. The Grosvenor block and the ten-footers, from the Courier-Citizen up to the Highroad building, are the only reminders of days gone by now remaining in the city's business and traffic centre.

Foresters' State Convention

In the report of the state convention of Foresters, held quarter of a century ago in Fall River, the names of several Lowell men appeared. At the state elections, the following were elected delegates to the national convention: Laurence J. Smith, William H. Stafford, P. A. Brousseau, H. C. McKee and John J. Cluin. Among the state officers elected were Denis O'Brien, H.J.C. R. and William H. Harrigan, H.J.B. Of these Messrs. Smith and O'Brien have since passed away, but all the others are still active members of the order.

THE OLD TIMER.

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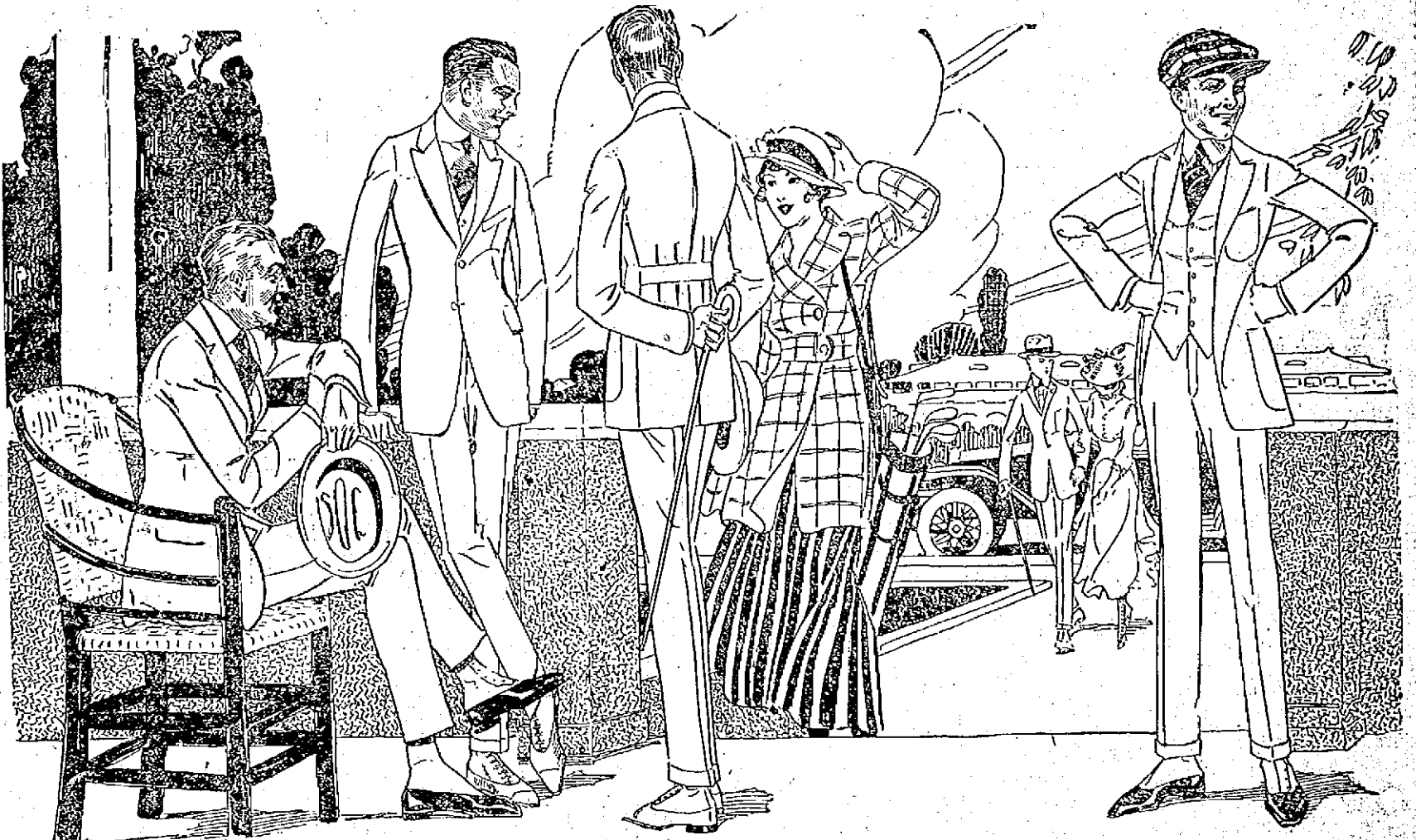
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Additional connections between its cars and the steam trains at the Lowell, Waverlet and Wilmington railroad stations is the purpose of the Bay State Street Railway company in an order covering the Lowell division which becomes effective Monday, May 29.

The company has prepared, after a careful study of the situation, a schedule showing its cars which—if normal conditions prevail—may be depended upon to make good connections with outgoing trains at the railroad stations named. The schedule also lists certain cars which will connect and in certain cases wait a reasonable period in order to connect with incoming trains at these stations.

It is the expectation that the new arrangement will prove a boon to those who make daily use of both street cars and trains. A glance at the schedule will show readily how time may be saved at these railroad stations and long waits for train or street car avoided.

In certain cases cars of the Bay State which have not because of unavoidable circumstances heretofore made connections with important trains are by a rearrangement made to do so. Car crews are instructed to use every endeavor consistent with safe operation to make connections.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH THEATRE

Douglas Fairbanks has earned the title of the "best light comedian on the moving picture stage" through his performance in "The Lamb," the five-part Triangle Fine Arts picture play, which was shown at the B. F. Keith theatre for the first time yesterday. It will be repeated twice today and tomorrow, and should prove intensely interesting to lovers of good acting and splendid photography. There are many contrasting elements in this production. For instance, one is shown New York society of the most exclusive brand, and then again, he is taken to the alkali and cactus wastes of Mexico, where, by the way, the greater part of the picture was taken. Fairbanks is specially apt at depicting characters of well-bred young men. He has plenty of polish and the understanding of such persons, and so is a valuable accession to the film drama. With him in this piece is Seena Owen, the very attractive little Danish actress, who contributes a big measure of success to the play. "The Lamb" was a rank tenderfoot who was shamed into making a man of himself. Fats played its title part in sending him down across the Mexican frontier, where he was captured by Yaqui Indians who were on the war path. His sweetheart had been invited down to a ranch in that part of the world, and the lamb was sort of following her. And the sweetheart, (Seena Owen) was taken in tow by the Yaquis. Now it so happened that the lamb came upon the Indians at about the time they were having troubles with the Mexican regulars.

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They didn't distinguish between a Mexican and an American. If they cared at all. They simply wanted to carve the lamb, and use his sweet heart. But, the lamb and his sweet heart didn't know that each was in a bad plight until they were thrown into a common prison, which, in the course of warfare, became heavily bombarded. The twain worked a machine gun for all they were worth and scattered a lot of the hostile Indians, but their ammunition ran short, and but for the timely appearance of the First regular cavalry the picture play wouldn't have been presented. There are many scenes of conflict in this picture, and the best of the lot is the rough-and-tumble battle between the Mexicans and the Indians. Both are just what they are represented as being, and the Indians are of a far different brand from what we are used to seeing. They are southwestern Indians, a short, runty lot with very bad eyes and plenty of courage. This picture will give a hit, for it has everything necessary to make success. Among the other good films is the Triangle comedy, "The Hunt," in which Ford Sterling and Polly Moran are featured. This is one succession of funny things from start to finish, and it's bound to provoke a scream of laughter. The Hearst-Vitagraph news of the day is another new feature, and in addition there are several first class shorter films. On Monday of next week Miss Billie Burke in the first two parts of "Gloria's Romance" will be shown. This is the biggest and best motion picture serial ever shown.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Marjorie Storrell's great battleship picture, "Defense of Tribute," is a picture which every liberty loving American citizen should see; the children should also be sent to witness the great spectacle which will be shown today and tomorrow at all the performances at the Merrimack Square theatre. Parents should feel it their duty to see that their little ones attend. Millions for defense but not one cent for tribute is the theme of the great play which is the result of the conference held recently by some of the greatest men of this country. Let not today or tomorrow pass without learning the vital lessons taught by this pictorial warning. The character portraying genius Geo. Behan will also appear at all the performances at the Merrimack Square theatre today and tomorrow in his latest and greatest success, "Pasquale," a beautiful story of sunny Italy. Charlie Chaplin will also entertain during the next three days at this theatre and other pictures will also be shown.

OWL THEATRE

Carlisle Blackwell, one of the greatest favorites of all the motion picture stars of the world, will be seen at the Owl theatre on today and tomorrow in one of the best Equitable feature films ever produced, entitled "The Clarion," a photoplay which tells of the wonderful fight made by the young editor of a newspaper against the scolding and oppression of the poor by the rich and aristocratic. The mad desire to fight the cause of the common people was aroused in the young editor when he, one day, witnessed the killing of a young girl by a car which whirled around a corner, like a juggernaut, and knocked her senseless. He fires the first shot—ruin is promised him. But this shot was the incentive to a mad, surging mob, made beasts by numbers, who rushed through the streets and trampled police and onlookers beneath the heel of vengeance. Onward they rush, the power to destroy is galvanized. Stones and flaming torches are thrown; the mob recognizes neither God nor man—and in the end—but better visit the Owl today or tomorrow and see what really does happen in this picture, the greatest photoplay which has ever been released by the Equitable company.

Charlie Chaplin, the million dollar a year comedian and the best little gloom chaser in the world, will be seen at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow in a new three-reel feature, entitled "The Gang Leader." Other attractions will also be presented at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow.

ROYAL THEATRE

Among the numerous subjects offered for approval at the week-end performance of the Royal theatre, "Who's Guilty," second novel and an episode of "The Mysteries of Myra" in three reels, occupy the center of attraction. In "Who's Guilty," the biggest problems that confront the American public of today is treated in a new way. Each story convinced by its strength of dramatic power and wonderful realism. Produced by the Arrow-Pathe company and starring Tom Moore and Anna Nilsson, two favorites whose many appearances on the screen and stage warrant their place as co-stars in this new series of novels. Howard Estabrook and Jenn Sothorn, the stars in "The Mysteries of Myra" are another popular couple, whose work is admired at the present time, and they bid fair to out-do most serial stars. Both of these subjects are different. "The Mysteries" contains much sensation, with just the right spicing of common sense, while on the other hand, "Who's Guilty" is thoroughly an educational as well as dramatic offering. "A Child of the Woods" and "Margot" for Sunday.

JEWEL THEATRE

"Peg o' the Ring," the circus serial with Gurnard and Ford, and a five-act Mutual masterpiece, "The Craving," with William Russell, are the leading attractions for the week-end at the Jewel theatre. Many other new dramas and comedies will complete the performance, which is above the ordinary. "The Dollar Mark" will be presented for Sunday only.

LAKEVIEW MEMORIAL DAY

The Sixth Regiment band will render the following program at Lakeview park, Tuesday evening, Memorial day, May 30 from 5 until 10 p. m.:

March, Lights Out.....Brooks

Overture, Recollection of the War.....Beyer

Popular numbers

a. On My Way to Oregon

b. Good-Bye, Good Luck, God Bless You

Selection from the Opera "Chin Chin".....Caryl

Descriptive, Custer's Last Fight.....Johnson Smith

Concert waltz, Les Patineurs.....Waltenfel

Suite.....Souza

a. The White Man

b. The Black Man

c. The Red Man

Selection, The Sunny South.....Lampe

Songs of the Nation.....Lampe

March, Soldiers of Uncle Sam.....Smith

LAKEVIEW PARK

The following program will be rendered at Lakeview park from 3 till 5 Sunday afternoon, May 28 by the Sixth Regiment band under the direction of Chief Musician Bissonnette:

March, 18th Regiment.....Richards

Overture, The Bohemian Girl.....Balle

Popular numbers

a. Rocky Road to Dublin.....Berlin

b. Don't Bite the Hand.....Snyder

Coronet solo, The Sphinx.....Williams

Selection from "Alone at Last".....Priml

Bits of Remick's Hits, 1916.....Lampe

Excerpts from "Paddy Whack".....Ol-

cott musical hit

Descriptive, A Day at West Point.....Bendix

Melodies from favorite operas

March, The Little Grey Mother.....Remicks

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INTENDED TO KILL WIFE

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today in the Peck murder case. The young dentist left the witness stand last night after five hours and forty-five minutes crowded with horrors unparalleled in the history of New York criminal trials. Every detail of his story was noted by the attorneys engaged by the defense for use in framing the hypothetical question they will be called to answer before Waite's attorneys ask the jury to decide whether he was mentally responsible when he killed his father-in-law, John E. Peck.

Waite's testimony left the prosecution's attorneys today nothing more to do toward proving that he committed murder. Their problem was to show that a monster of crime such as the defendant confessed himself might have been mentally normal and, therefore, a fit subject for the electric chair.

Counsel for the defense said today that they had few if any more questions to ask their client. It was expected that the attorneys would take the stand soon after the state finished cross-examining the defendant.

The supreme moment of Waite's tale came last night when the young witness declared in calm conversational tones:

"Tells How He Killed Victim

"Why, I wanted those bacteria to kill those three persons—Mr. Peck, Mrs. Peck and Miss Peck, the maiden aunt. I wanted them to die. I wanted their money."

This attempt to murder three persons, two of whom he sent to their graves, was the climax. Waite showed, of a long career of crime. Without a change of voice or expression to indicate that he recognized the enormity of his confession, he described minutely how he gave his victims arsenic, powdered glass, chloroform, disease germs and over-doses of medicine; how he burned by paper and gave the residue, which he had read contained arsenic, to Mr. Peck; how he generated chlorine gas in the father-in-law's room to make his throat more sensitive to the germ cultures; how he dampened the sheets in his bed and drove him in a swift automobile with open windows and raised the windows of his room in cold winter in an unsuccessful effort to give him pneumonia.

Women Excluded

Women were excluded from the court when Dr. Arthur Warren Waite resumed the witness stand today. Hundreds of persons in the corridors vainly tried to gain admission to the court room.

Waite, appeared pale but seemed to have braced himself to face the ordeal. His counsel, Walter R. Deuel, told Justice Shearn that he had only a few more questions to ask the dentist before the cross-examination would begin.

"Did you ever try to kill your wife?" asked Mr. Deuel.

"No," replied Dr. Waite.

"Did you ever plan to kill her?"

"No, never."

"You never thought you might kill

her?"

"I am not sure that I would not have killed her," said Waite.

Asst. Dist. Atty. Brothers then began the cross-examination of Dr. Waite. The attorney first asked the prisoner:

"Do you recall telling me that you did not want your wife to learn of your relations with Mrs. Horton?"

"No," replied Waite.

Waite folded his arms and smiled at the prosecutor as he denied having any conversation with Mr. Brothers in Dr. Waite's apartment. The dentist said he was surprised to learn that he had given a ring to his nurse. He denied also that he feigned insanity in Bellevue or in the Tombs or that he deliberately planned a false defense or read books on nervous diseases.

Waite declared he did not tell Dist. Atty. Swann and Mr. Brothers while in Bellevue hospital that the "man from Egypt" had killed John E. Peck.

"Not Crazy," Says Waite

"Are you crazy?" asked Mr. Brothers.

"I think not."

"After you took Mr. Peck's life, you could not sleep, could you?"

"I slept perfectly," said Waite.

"You wanted to kill yourself, did you?"

"Yes."

"Why didn't you kill yourself?"

Attempted to Kill Himself

"I made a pretty good attempt at it," replied Waite.

"You planned Peck's death to win \$2,000,000, didn't you?"

"No, not that much."

The prisoner denied that he had schemed to kill John E. Peck as early as last February.

Questions by the prosecution were framed with the evident intent to show that the crimes to which the prisoner had confessed were of a nature that did not call for personal daring.

Waite Made Denial

Waite denied that his evidence yesterday was devised with the purpose of developing a defense of insanity.

Justice Shearn, before whom Waite is being tried, then took up the questioning and asked him if he knew it was wrong to steal. Waite said he did.

"Then I assume you know, if it was wrong to steal, it was wrong to commit murder?"

Don't Remember

"I don't remember."

"And you were a member of a Christian Endeavor society? You learned it was wrong to take human life and against the laws of God?"

"I don't remember."

Mr. Deuel then resumed re-direct examination. Waite said his memory was not perfect, he supposed, because of drugs. The prisoner identified several letters he wrote in Bellevue hospital, and a poem, saying he had written poetry for several years. He said that when he wrote the poem he suspected that he was charged with murder.

Miss Peck Called

Waite having been permitted to leave the witness stand, Miss Catherine Peck called.

the Peck sister of the late John E. Peck was next called. Mr. Deuel said he wanted to corroborate by Miss Peck's testimony the statements made by Dr. Waite that he placed ground glass in her marmalade, and germ cultures in fish that she was to eat.

Miss Peck said she accepted Waite at what he appeared to be and told of giving her business matters to him to look after. Miss Peck smiled as she recalled her narrow escapes from death.

"I ate some of the marmalade," she said. "When I opened the jar again I found it full of something like sand. I took it back to the store and the proprietor apologized."

After answering other questions in corroboration of Waite's testimony yesterday, Miss Peck was excused.

Dr. Gregory Called

Dr. Menas S. Gregory, head of the psychopathic ward at Bellevue hospital, was called as the first alienist to testify for the defense. He said that while Waite was in Bellevue he asked the physician to interfere for him with the district attorney and also inquired:

"If I should escape the consequences of this act do you think I would make a useful citizen?"

Dr. Gregory said he told the prisoner that he knew that he was doing wrong and the consequences of his acts. The physician declined to intercede.

Intended to Kill Wife

Dr. Morris J. Karpas, formerly of Bellevue hospital, also was called as an alienist for the defense. He said he examined Dr. Waite in the hospital, that he did not appear to be mentally well, and that he was abnormal in that his entire interest was centered upon himself.

"Waite told me," testified Dr. Karpas, "that he intended to kill his wife. He said that he had not intended to stop at anything to gain his ends."

Last Night's Session

Arthur Warren Waite, as coolly as if he were discussing the weather, told the jury in the criminal branch of the supreme court last night how he had caused the death of Mrs. John E. Peck by bacteria, how he had poisoned and then smothered John E. Peck and how he had tried to kill Miss Catherine Peck, maiden sister of his father-in-law. As he spoke, hardly above a conversational tone, perfectly at his ease, the courtroom, from which women had been excluded after 8 o'clock in the evening, was still as death.

Wearied by the long session, the jurors nevertheless sat bold upright or leaned forward to catch every word. Assistant District Attorneys Brothers, Dooling and Mancuso, flanked by the state's alienists, sat intent. The men in the courtroom crept to the seats nearest the bar railing, and only Justice Shearn of all the courtroom sat immovable and impassive, gazing straight ahead of him.

Tried To Kill Three

The supreme moment of the man's session on the witness stand came half an hour after the evening session had convened. Then, in reply to the questions of Walter R. Deuel, his counsel following his confession of attempts to kill Miss Peck, he said in a surprised tone, "Why, I wanted those bacteria to kill those three persons—Mr. Peck, Mrs. Peck and Miss Peck, the maiden aunt."

Then after telling how he had tried to kill Miss Peck, who had befriended him with lavish presents, Mr. Deuel came to a question which held everyone.

"Do you remember when Mrs. Peck came to visit you?" he asked.

"Yes, let me see, really I can't remember exactly," Waite hesitated. She and Mrs. Waite came some time in January. I can't remember exactly when."

"Did you give her bacteria?"

"Why, certainly. I got the contents of about six test tubes of the bacilli of diphtheria, pneumonia and influenza, and reduced them to one tube and gave them to her."

"How did you administer this?"

"You see I often brought the food from the kitchen to the dining room, and I would slip the germs in the food or in something else."

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"How often?"

"Oh, I only had to administer them to her once. You see she became ill immediately. They affected her at once. She remained ill for several days, got worse and then got better and finally one night, Saturday, if I remember right, although I won't be sure, I said that I would sit up with her."

"The nurse went home at 7 o'clock and Mrs. Waite was tired. I was to watch her and give her her medicine about every 15 minutes."

"What did you do?"

"Well, I had procured during the day some veronal tablets, about a dozen five-grain tablets, and this I powdered up. When I gave her medicine I slipped this powder in and she took it."

"What did you do then?" There was almost a gasp in the room as the man, shaking his head as if the question were trivial replied: "Why, of course, then I went to sleep."

"So did she," he added a moment later, for when he awakened early in the morning and looked his mother-

THE RIGGS BANK CASE

MOTION OF DEFENSE TO ORDER NOT GUILTY VERDICT OVER- RULED

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Justice Siders overruled today a motion by counsel for the three officers of the Riggs National bank on trial for perjury that he direct the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty because a perjury charge could not be predicated on a mixed question of law and fact.

The charge arose in connection with an affidavit denying that the bank sold or bought stock and counsel for the defendants argued in support of the motion that questions of sales or purchases were questions of law which could not be decided by a jury.

The defense asked for a directed verdict of not guilty on several other technical points, which were overruled, and it was believed the case would go to the jury late today.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their many acts of kindness, words of consolation and beautiful floral offerings received during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Catherine Twomey, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Twomey, Miss Mary Twomey, John and Thomas Twomey.

Mrs. William G. Brown is the leader of the club women in New York in the protest against prize fighting.

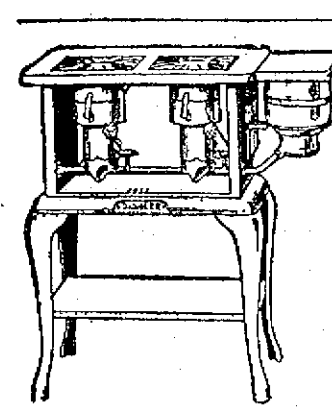
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Light, Cool Furniture For the Home, Porch and Lawn

The natural impulse at this time of year is to freshen up the home and prepare for the siege of summer.

Early preparedness is particularly appropriate this year, for we are facing a season of heavy buying, which will thin out our ranks of Summer Furniture.

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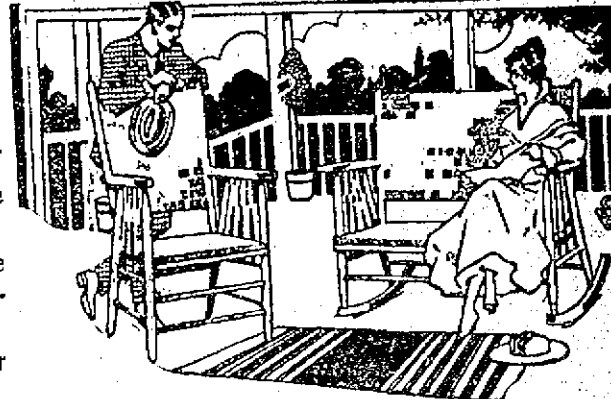
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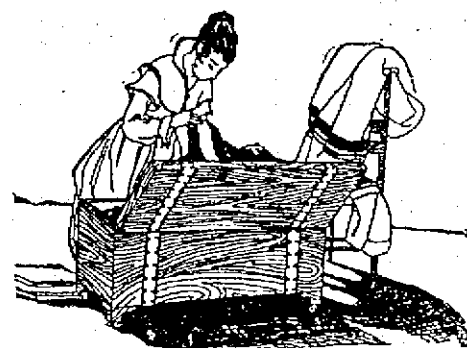
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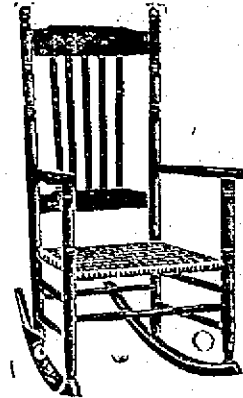


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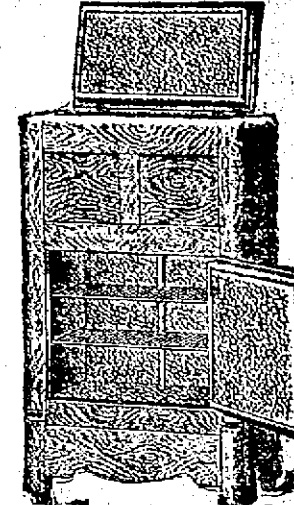


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LARGE SIZE ROCKER—Cane seat, slat back. Value \$2.00. Special:

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HARDWOOD REFRIGERATOR—46 inches high, 28 inches wide. Holds 100 pounds of ice. Value \$17. Special \$11.98

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in-law was dead. After that he waited until the daughter, his wife, made the discovery.

Men, even the jurors, who had been looking wonderingly at Mr. Deuel apparently sending this client straight to the death house, suddenly realized what the object was. Back of the Karpas, industriously taking notes of state's alienists sat the alienists of making suggestions about questions.

LADIES

HERE'S A SALE That Will Cause a Sensation

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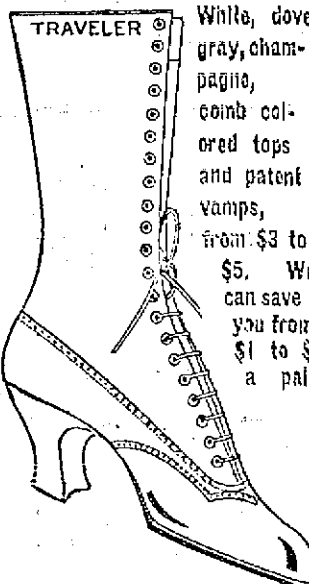
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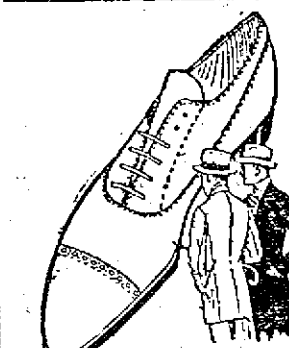
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A FINE DINING ROOM

MINE HOST HARRIS ENTERTAINS CITY COUNCIL, LICENSE COMMISSIONERS AND NEWSPAPERMEN

The new and elaborately appointed dining room of the Harrisonia hotel was formally dedicated last evening by a dinner given by Proprietor Frank E. Harris to the city government, license commissioners and newspapermen. The guests were most favorably impressed with the appearance, comfort and beauty of the new dining room, while the menu and service were faultless. The new dining room is located in the annex, the property in Middle street recently acquired by Mr. Harris, and is approached from the main dining room over a bridge that spans the passageway in the rear of the hotel building. One could not expect to find so beautiful an interior, in view of the aspect from Middle street, but carpenters and interior decorators have made a wonderful transformation. The room is the largest dining room in the city, and will accommodate over 100 comfortably. At one end is an elevated platform for an orchestra, while around three sides of the room are cozy slips, attractive tables filling the center of the room. The furniture is of the neat mission effect. The floor is of red tile while the ceiling is laid in numerous graceful arches inlaid with numerous dainty incandescent lights. The color effects are red and green. A special kitchen, serving room and bar form a part of the annex, so that guests in the new dining room will be assured of prompt service. The dining room will be opened to the public on next Thursday.

TRIALS FOR BIG MEET

CAMBRIDGE, May 26.—The speed and strength of athletes of highest rank in more than a score of colleges were tested in the Harvard stadium today to determine those most fit to compete in the finals of the intercollegiate track meet tomorrow. Trials were scheduled for today in 11 of the 12 events of the meeting. The weather was clear and warm with a light breeze.

The meeting, the 41st of the intercollegiate association, drew entries from Cornell, Leland Stanford, Jr., University of California, University of Michigan, Harvard, Yale, University of Pennsylvania, Dartmouth, Amherst, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Princeton, Colby, Pennsylvania State, Syracuse, Georgetown, New York University, Johns Hopkins, Rutgers, Swarthmore, Brown, Haverford and Lafayette.

Several records on the intercollegiate books were objects of attack and the struggles for place were expected to be keen enough to create new marks. Among those on the field today who have equaled in past performances the intercollegiate records were "Ted" Meredith, Pennsylvania, in the half mile run; Smith, Michigan, and Teschner, Harvard, in the 100-yard dash; Murray Leland Stanford, in the high hurdles; Baker, California, and Oler, Yale, in the high jump; Worthington, Dartmouth, in the broad jump, and Gildersleeve, California, in the hammer throw.

SKATING RACE OPENED

Teams representing four New England states, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut and New Hampshire, started the five night relay race at the Rollaway last evening with a large crowd on the cheering lines. Nebes and Yates of Lowell, skating under Massa-

chusetts colors, captured the honors in the half-hour of skating last evening. The race is decided on points. Nebes and Yates finished first, with 20 points; Pasquale and Hayes of Boston, second, with 18 points, and Murrell of Hartford and McCarthy of Waterbury, third with 13 points. The scoring was carried out under the Berlin system. Tonight and every night until May 30, inclusive, the race will be resumed.

Broderick's Or. tonight, N. Billerica.

In every country now at war the cultivation of the fields, orchards and vineyards is left to the women.

Miss Edith Conant, a Vassar college student, recently broke the 100 yards running record by covering 100 yards in 12 4-5 seconds.

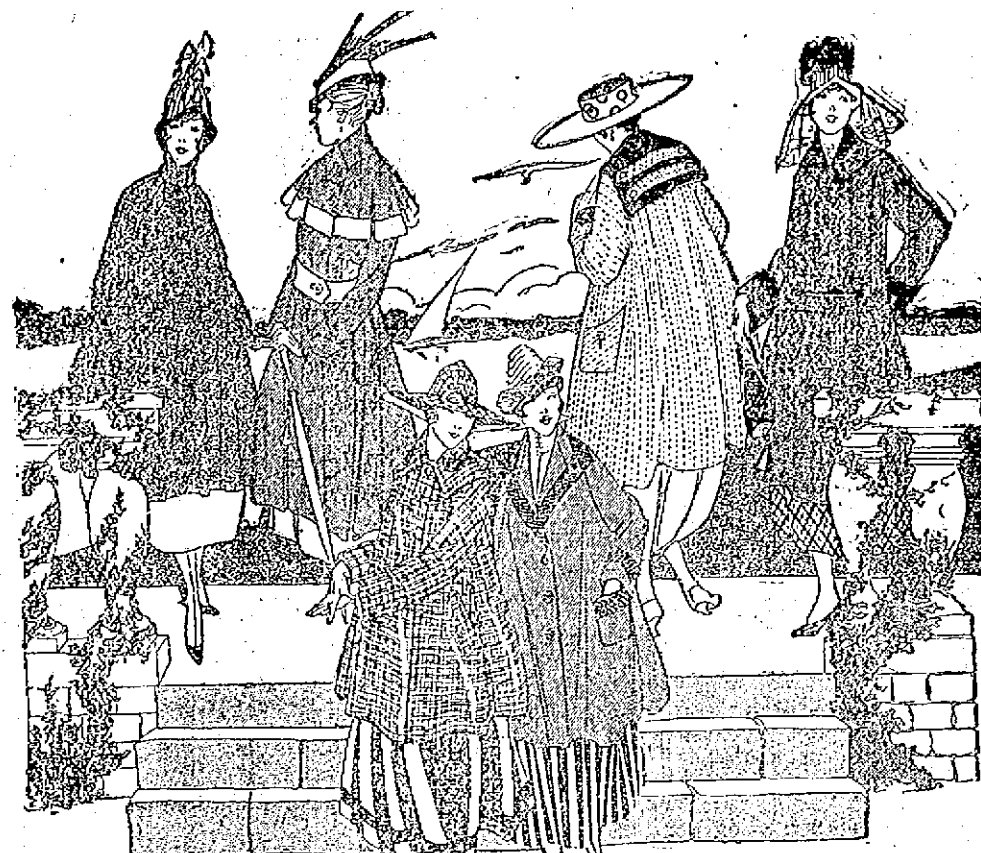


SERVICEABLE SERGE

Best quality navy serge cut with a full length skirt and tucked back to simulate a drape is what Lowell offers us in this model. The low revers and satchel pockets are outlined with Roumanian embroidery, while the hat is built on Russian military lines.

Extra Special Values For Friday, Saturday and Monday

The prices are so extraordinarily low that it will make the liveliest three days' selling ever seen in Lowell. These items are for Friday, Saturday and Monday only, and will not be on sale at any other time.



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Graduation Dresses, in all sizes, in voiles, \$2.98 up to \$15
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A Large Assortment of Waists, right up to the minute in quality, workmanship and style, at a greater cut 39c up to \$4.98 in prices than ever—from.....

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Wash Skirts from..... 69c to \$4.00
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PREPAREDNESS PARADE HAZERSEXPELLED

100,000 Expected to March Through Boston Streets Tomorrow—Gov. McCall in Line

BOSTON, May 26.—Governor McCall, mounted and escorted by his staff in full dress uniform, will ride tomorrow in the great Citizens' Preparedness parade through the streets of Boston. He will go over the route from the start to Park square, and will then return to the reviewing stand in front of the state house from which he will, with Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, U.S.A., commander of the department of the east, review the remainder of the parade. The lieutenant governor, Calvin Coolidge, will represent the governor in the reviewing stand until his arrival.

Governor McCall's staff was yesterday ordered to report on State Street, where Charles river embarkment, in full dress uniform tomorrow at 12:30 o'clock, and yesterday afternoon the governor went for a practice ride on horseback.

Chief Marshal Buck and his staff were busy yesterday making necessary corrections and changes in the parade roster and finding places for organizations whose enrollment blanks were late in reaching headquarters. Approximately 1500 marchers were added to the list during the day, bringing the total up to 84,500 men and women. This figure does not include the staff of aides and orderlies, the bands and drum corps, which will number about 150 with over 3500 musicians, the division of ex-regulators of the army, navy and marine corps, ex-national guardsmen and the Army and Navy union and the division of unassigned marchers who are not members of any organization. Many of the organizations which are to march expect to have a larger number in line than was indicated on the enrollment blanks, so that Chief Marshal Buck is prepared to take care of not less than 100,000 marchers. He will endeavor to get into the line every single organization and individual that wishes to take part.

The National Guard of Massachusetts will not be without some representation in the big Preparedness parade, although it is well recognized that the general feeling is that as this is purely a citizens' demonstration many of the militia units should not take part. However, at the request of Mayor Rockwood of Cambridge and the Cambridge board of trade, Col. Graves of the 8th Infantry has given permission for the units of his regiment stationed in the Cambridge armory to participate in the parade as escort to the Cambridge division. These troops, comprising Co. C, Capt. H. Dwight Cushing, Co. E, Capt. James H. McDade, Co. A, Capt. Thomas F. Brown, together with the 6th Co. Coast Artillery corps, also stationed in the armory under the command of Capt. H. Stanley Cushing, will constitute a provisional battalion under command of Major Frank S. Elliott, 8th Infantry, and act as escort to the Cambridge division. The Machine Gun Co., also stationed in the above armory,

will accompany the battalion in full field equipment, including the mules.

The men will wear the full field equipment, including blanket rolls, haversacks and all the equipment necessary to take the field as completely equipped fighting units and will give a vivid demonstration of what real preparedness in the National Guard means in the way of equipment and organization.

Col. Graves has been very pleased to co-operate with the wishes of the business industries of Cambridge in this way and it is hoped that this is only another indication of the mutual co-operation and helpfulness which is being developed in that city between the business industries and the National Guard.

Roy D. Jones, vice president of the American legion, yesterday issued a notice to members of the legion who intend to march that they are to provide themselves with arm bands of crimson ribbon, one and one-half inches wide, which will be worn on the left arm above the elbow.

Over 15 Hours to Pass
Parade experts and dopesters put their heads together yesterday and with a little comparison of figures announced that the Citizens' Preparedness parade will take approximately 15 1/2 hours to pass a given point, if the estimated number, 100,000 marchers, turn out.

The New York parade numbered 145,000, marched 24 abreast, and took 11 hours to pass the reviewing stand. Boston's demonstration will number 100,000, but will march only 12 abreast, so the mathematicians agree the parade in this city will take more than four hours longer than the Gotham procession.

Route of Parade
Start at Beacon and Arlington streets, state house, School street, Washington street, State street, Broad street, High street, Lincoln street, Kneeland street, Elliot street, Park square, Columbus avenue, Berkeley street, where parade will disband through side streets.

The first hotel school for women in France has just been opened in Paris, where all the branches of hotel service that a woman may undertake will be taught.

Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch, Mrs. Gertrude B. Newell and Miss Agnes Morey, prominent suffragists of New York City, have taken up residences in Kansas so they can vote for president this fall.

Norwich University Also Suspended 27—Five Freshmen Injured

FURLINGTON, Vt., May 26.—Three members of the sophomore class were expelled and the remainder of the class indefinitely suspended at Norwich university, Northfield, yesterday afternoon after a two-days investigation into a hazing escapade in which five freshmen were mal-treated. The expelled members are Bernhard Jacobs, Berlin, N. H.; Leonard Hastings Nason, Auburndale, Mass., and A. A. Osgood, Barre, Vt.

Students Were Warned

The reason for this drastic action by the commandant, Col. Ira L. Reeves, is his determination to suppress the custom of hazing at Norwich, which, next to West Point, is the oldest military school in the United States. The students had all been previously warned of the penalty by Col. Reeves.

The freshmen were taken from the

dormitory Monday night to wounds a distance from the college and there put through a severe course of stunts in which paddling played a prominent part. The affair reached the ears of Col. Reeves through the townspeople.

The indefinite suspension of the sophomore class means that if any of the members desire to be reinstated they may make application, and their cases will be considered individually. It is not known that the expelled men are more guilty than some others, but they were already on probation.

FIRE IN NASHUA

Stables and Milk Depot Were Burned—Firemen Aided by Militia

NASHUA, N. H., May 26.—A two-alarm fire at 8:50 last night in the residential quarter of the North End drew an immense throng to the scene and indicated a loss of \$50,000. The stables of Morrill Brothers, truckmen, 29 Norton street, and the milk depot of Walter T. Boyd, 7 Shattuck street, were destroyed with

most of their contents, which included one of Morrill Brothers' auto trucks and a number of wagons. The horses were saved.

The shop of Fire Commissioner Eugene W. Dunklee and the residences of Allen Parker, Albert D. McLeamy, Robert J. Morrill and others caught from sparks but were saved by the firemen, aided by soldiers of Co. D, 1st Infantry, N. H. N. G., who were called from a drill in the nearby armory, and a large detail of police.

The origin of the fire is a mystery. The neighbors first noticing the blaze when the flames were sweeping through the main Morrill building.

CHILD KILLED BY AUTO

NORTHAMPTON, May 26.—Ruth Strader, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin P. Strader of Arlington avenue, Easthampton, was severely injured by being struck by an automobile last night on Pleasant street. In that town, that she died a few minutes after.

The automobile was driven by Miss Eva Lapanne. The little girl attempted to run across the street in front of the automobile.

Dance with the Chippewas tonight.

Although the bride of the Prince of Wales, heir to the British throne, has not been selected yet, it is practically certain that she will be a Russian princess.

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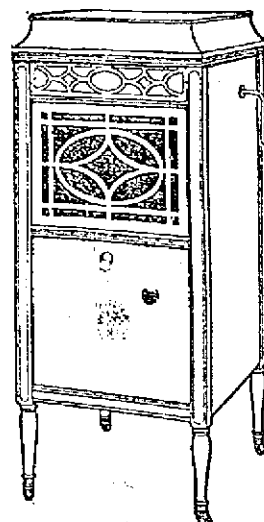
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KING GEORGE SIGNS BILL

COMPULSORY MILITARY SERVICE
—ALL MALES BETWEEN 18 AND
41 ARE CALLED TO COLORS

LONDON, May 25.—The signature of King George was today affixed to the military service bill recently passed by parliament.

The military service bill, or, as it is better known, "the conscription bill," was introduced in the house of commons, May 3, as a result of the failure of voluntary enlistments to reach the total, the government considered necessary. There was much agitation for and against the measure. The bill provides for general and immediate conscription, and calls to the colors all males, married or single, between the ages of 18 and 41. An army reserve for industrial work is also provided for in the bill, and the government may use as many of the conscripts as it requires to maintain industrial conditions intact. Ireland is excluded from the operation of the law.

MISS RAMSAY DEFENDS TITLE
BROOKLINE, May 26.—Miss Vera Ramsay, playing from the Salem Golf club successfully defended her title to the Boston Women's Golf association championship today by defeating Miss Eleanor W. Allen 3 and 2 in the final match of the annual tournament. The match was squandered at the 12th hole. The 12th was halved, but after that Miss Allen weakened and the champion won the next three.

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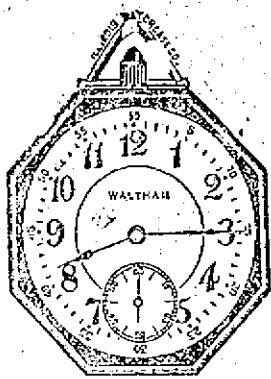
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EACH TAXED \$150—BATON ROUGE,
LA., JUDGE APPROVES. SUCH
FIGHTS

BATON ROUGE, La., May 26.—Adj. Gen. McNeese and A. D. Stewart, a prominent New Orleans hotel man, each paid a \$150 fine in the city court yesterday for their pre-arranged fist fight on the Capitol lawn Wednesday which they designated "an affair of honor."

Judge Odum, in imposing the fine, said: "Personally, I approve of this method of settling a difficulty between gentlemen, but it is against the law and I will have to fine you."

ROBERT FAY GETS STAY

FORMER LIEUTENANT IN GERMAN
ARMY GRANTED STAY OF ONE
WEEK

NEW YORK, May 26.—Robert Fay, former lieutenant in German army, who was recently sentenced to serve eight years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta for plotting to blow up vessels carrying munitions to the entente allies, was today granted a stay of one week before starting for Atlanta.

TEXTILE OPERATIVES

BOSTON, May 26.—The National Amalgamation of Textile Operatives today voted to retain its temporary constitution and by-laws with a few perfecting amendments. Election of officers was set for tomorrow.

The present officials headed by Jas. Tansey of Fall River, as president, who are serving under a temporary organization, probably will be retained.

The matter of supporting the strike of loomfixers at the Pacific mills, in Lawrence was introduced at today's

session, but action was postponed until later. Speakers said the strikers had not shared equally with other operatives in the recent advance, and urged that the amalgamation stand behind them.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Spencer and family are stopping at Bretton hall, New York.

Memorial exercises will be held at the Colburn school on Monday afternoon by the students of the ninth grade. The following program has been prepared by Principal Sheehan: Salute to the Flag; recitation, "The Flag Goes By"; chorus, "Stand by the Flag"; recitation, "Gettysburg Address"; chorus, "Columbia"; address, Commander J. H. Caverley of Post 135, G.A.R.; finale, "America."

DALLAS, TEX., SELECTED
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 26.—Dallas, Tex., was selected today as the place of meeting of the 1317 general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America.

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SQ. THEATRE

These are the last two days

"DEFENSE or TRIBUTE"
Marjorie Sterrett's great Battleship
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Music, Scheuch's Orchestra.

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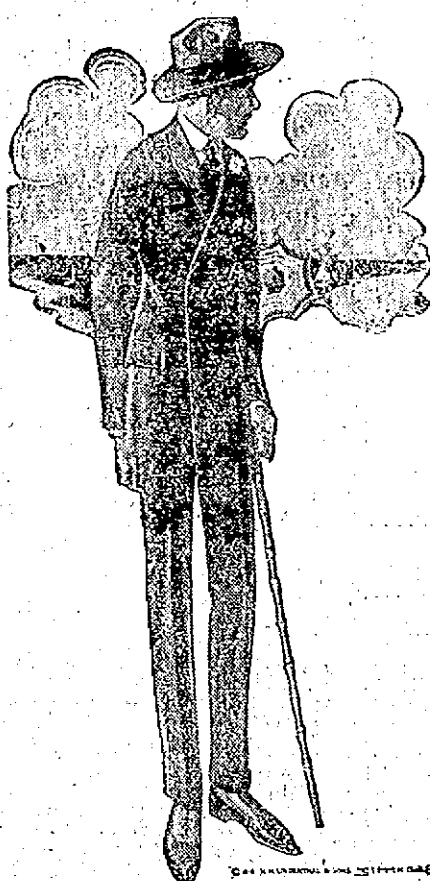
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\$15, \$18, \$20 Suits,
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\$3.00 and \$3.50 SUITS..... \$2.37
\$5.00 and \$6.00 SUITS..... \$3.87
\$7.00 and \$7.50 SUITS..... \$5.87

HOSIERY, HATS and CAPS MARKED DOWN

Get Your Straw Here
\$2.00 and \$2.50 \$1.85
Straws
Others \$1.00, \$1.50, \$3.00

BOYS' REEFERS AT ANNIVERSARY PRICES

Our birthday party will be over Saturday evening, then we start on our 8th year, increasing and building, striving each day to serve our customers better.

FURNISHINGS

SHIRTS

50c Negligee 30c
70c Soft Cuffs 55c
2 for \$1.00
\$1.00 Negligee or Soft Cuffs 69c
3 for \$2.00
\$1.00 Outing Shirts 69c
3 for \$2.00
\$1.50 Soft Cuffs \$1.15
3 for \$3.00

UNDERWEAR

SHIRTS AND DRAWERS

25c Balbriggan 19c
30c Balbriggan 29c
50c Athletic Nainsook 37c
\$1.00 Silk Athletic 69c

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

PEERLESS UNIONS 69c, 95c, \$1.55

MACARTNEY'S

"Apparel Shop"

72 Merrimack St.

VON JAGOW TAKES BLAME

BERLIN, May 25, via London, May 26.—The United States played a large role in the censorship debate in the reichstag today. Two of the principal speakers, Deputy Oertel, conservative and Deputy Hirsch, national liberal, severely criticised the government for measures which they alleged were adopted to suppress the criticisms of the United States in the newspapers and to put brakes on the agitation for a more vigorous submarine campaign.

Deputy Oertel, who is editor of the Deutsche Tages Zeitung, attacked the authorities vigorously for their attempt to suppress the gigantic petition gotten up by Prof. Dietrich Schaefer of Berlin university against Germany yielding to the demands of the United States. Deputy Oertel also attacked the government for the censorship which had been exercised over editorial comment on the American note and for prohibiting the republication of an anti-American article written by the conservative leader Heydebrand.

Foreign Minister von Jagow, in reply, declared emphatically that both the military and political authorities had agreed that negotiations with America must not be impeded by press comment. The minister said that a temperamental article, such as that of Heydebrand, would certainly have stirred up public feeling, and that he, therefore, accepted full responsibility for its suppression.

Deputy Hirsch resumed the floor after Minister von Jagow had concluded. He reiterated the complaints made by Deputy Oertel and alluding to the possibility of American mediation, declared it would be impossible to accept the good offices of "an ostensible neutral who soiled his hands with blood by using its best efforts to prolong the war."

U. S. PROTEST TO ALLIES

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The American note to Great Britain and France regarding interference with neutral mail will be given out here for publication tomorrow morning. Resumes of the communication have been cabled to London and Paris by the British and French ambassadors, to whom it was handed, and the complete text is being forwarded by mail.

WIDOWS OF MINISTERS

PENSIONS PAID BY METHODIST CHURCH WILL BE INCREASED 50 PER CENT

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 26.—Pensions paid by the Methodist Episcopal church to widows of ministers will be increased 50 per cent as the result of the adoption of resolutions today by the general conference, providing that such persons shall receive three-fourths of the sum paid to their deceased husbands, as retired ministers. The former ratio was one-half.

During the argument it was asserted that the success of a pastor is often largely due to the work of his wife and that her efforts should be recognized substantially at his death.

The right to a year's leave of absence for travel, study and rest, after 10 consecutive years of service, would be given to ministers by a resolution offered by the committee on itinerancy. The proposal that laymen shall be admitted to membership in the annual conferences to which only clergy are now eligible, will be submitted to the general churches for a referendum vote during the next four years, if a report offered by the same committee is adopted.

LADIES!

Here is Your Chance

SAVE MONEY BY BUYING YOUR SUIT HERE FOR DECORATION DAY

We are closing out our present line of Women's Suits and have purposely chosen to do so at this particular time so that you and everyone who wishes to save money can secure a suit to wear on Decoration Day at a mighty big reduction.

Bear in mind the fact that this is a CREDIT SALE, not a cash sale. The same liberal terms of credit which you have obtained on your purchases here in the past are extended to you during this big money saving sale.

Here are some of the astonishingly low reductions we are making on our high grade stock of Women's Suits:

LADIES' \$25.00 SUITS..... \$15.98

LADIES' \$20.00 SUITS..... \$12.98

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Come in at once. Don't delay. Get some of these bargains. Remember that you can pay for your purchase in \$1.00 weekly payments.

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242 CENTRAL STREET



WOMAN HAILED TO COURT

Continued

by Inspector Marlin Maher and the defendant, she is employed as a waitress in a restaurant in Lawrence street. Last Saturday Alice Mahoney entered the restaurant and after finishing her meal left a pocketbook containing \$200 on the table. The Dole girl, it is alleged, turned the pocketbook over to the proprietor of the restaurant. That night as she was leaving for home she said the proprietor called her aside and giving her \$10 said: "That's to keep your mouth shut. If anyone asks you about the pocketbook say you don't know anything about it."

The court after listening to the testimony in the case said he was going to be lenient with the girl for she did the right thing by turning the money over to the proprietor, but she made a mistake by taking the money which was offered her knowing that it had been stolen. He placed her on probation for two weeks on condition that she pay back the money to the owner. Why the man who pocketed the \$100 was not brought in caused considerable comment. The court was displeased at the aspect of the case.

Excitement on the "Front Row"

The quietness of that portion of Dutton street near the Merrimack mills known as the "Front Row" was rudely interrupted about 2.30 o'clock this morning when Dennis Mahoney, while under the influence of liquor, went on the rampage and assaulted his wife and one James Brennan. Mahoney and his wife have had more or less trouble and the former was released from jail two weeks ago after serving several months' sentence for neglecting his children. Mrs. Mahoney who works every day, met her husband on the street and when he said he was down and out and did not know where he could sleep or get anything to eat she took pity on him and took him to her home at 19 Dutton street.

Last night, some time after 11 o'clock, Mahoney went to Brennan's room and invited Brennan to come upstairs as he had some liquor. Brennan also had a wee bit in a bottle and both repaired to Mahoney's room where they drank until the small hours of the morning.

About 2.30 o'clock Mahoney suddenly arose from the bed on which he was lying and picking up a water pitcher smashed it over Brennan's head and then he started to beat his wife. The occupants of the house were awakened by the commotion and one of them ran into the street and found Patrolman Hill and Special Officer Fulton of the Merrimack company. They found the three in an attic room, Mrs. Mahoney and Brennan being covered with blood. All three were sent to the police station where they were charged with drunkenness.

In court this morning Mahoney and his wife entered a plea of not guilty but Brennan pleaded guilty to drunkenness and after the latter had told his story Judge Enright told Deputy Downey to make out a complaint against Mahoney for assault and battery on Brennan.

After the cases were heard Mahoney

Chester A. Conant

BRADLEY BLDG. ROOM 211 147 CENTRAL ST.

SPECIAL SALE—SUITS and COATS

SUITS	SUITS	SUITS
\$5.00	\$8.75	\$6.75
\$12.50 Value	\$18, \$20 Values	\$12.98 Value
COATS	COATS	COATS
\$4.75	\$9.75	\$7.75
\$8 Value	\$15 Value	\$10 Value

OPEN FRIDAY EVENING

\$3.00 Silk Waist... \$1.95 | \$1.50 New Waists... 95c

was sentenced to three months in jail. Mrs. Mahoney's case was continued for three months and Brennan's case was placed on file.

Larceny Case

Stanley Matchun was charged with the larceny of a coat and vest valued at \$13 from the Tailor Clothing Co. At the request of counsel for the defense the case was continued until Monday.

An Alleged Panhandler

As a result of what Judge Enright saw while passing through Middlesex street on his way to the depot yesterday morning, James Thompson, a stranger in Lowell, was arrested and this morning was charged with drunkenness. As the judge was passing through the street he saw Thompson following a man and the latter was evidently trying to get away from him. Seeing Patrolman Noonan, Judge Enright told him of the man's actions and when the officer questioned the man who was trying to get away from Thompson, the former said Thompson was trying to get money from him. Thompson admitted that he was drunk but said he was not trying to get money. "How long will it take you to get out of the city?" asked Judge Enright. "About ten minutes," answered Thompson. "I'll give you one hour," said the court. "Get out of town and stay out." And he went.

Other Offenders

Austin Gilday was arrested on the 4th of March for drunkenness and bailed out. He failed to put in an appearance the following day and had

not been seen until yesterday when he was arrested for drunkenness. He was found guilty this morning and will spend the next three months in jail.

John J. Ducey who was on parole from the state farm, will be returned to that institution. Miles F. Ralls was sentenced to 15 days in jail.

MATRIMONIAL

A pretty marriage took place Monday evening when Mr. John Feeney and Miss Anna Fitzgerald were married by Rev. P. L. Crayton at St. Peter's rectory. The bridesmaid was Miss Sarah V. Feeney, sister of the bridegroom, and Mr. Martin J. Quinn was the best man. The bride wore white net over white messaline, a picture hat and carried bridal roses. The bridesmaid was attired in blue crepe de chine with picture hat to match and carried carnations. The bride's gift to the bridesmaid was a gold bracelet and the best man was presented with a pair of gold cuff links by the bridegroom. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the new home of the married couple, 35 Cedar street, at which 100 relatives and friends were present. A wedding supper was served and the house was prettily decorated with sweet peas, carnations and ferns. Daley's orchestra furnished music for dancing throughout the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Feeney were the recipients of many beautiful gifts, including many pieces of cut glass and silver. The happy couple left on the 9.45 train for Washington and Philadelphia, and will be at home after August 1st at 35 Cedar street.



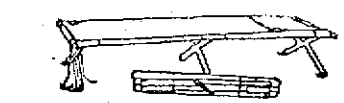
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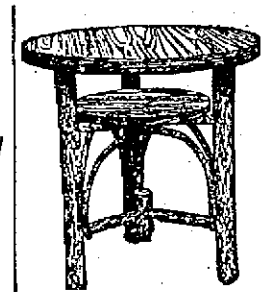
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\$3.00 Each

Alaska Ice Cream Freezers

1 Quart	\$1.50
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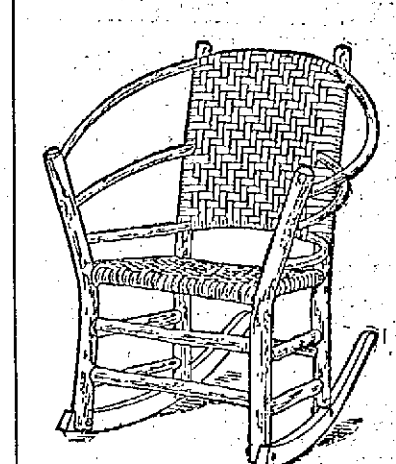
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Regardless of cost

All High Grade Suits Surpassing Any Values Offered This Season.

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—35— \$11.75 \$18 and \$20 SUITS TO SELL AT

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Values up to \$10.00.

A fine collection of all wool materials and very attractive styles.

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In all sizes. Values up to \$1.98.

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Snappy styles in all the latest colorings.

600 BEAUTIFUL WAISTS \$1.69

In tub silk and voiles. Values up to \$2.98

NEWS FROM CITY HALL

Continued

office today to offer his congratulations, the captain was busily engaged in attending to the duties of his office. "Yes," he said, "I am 73 years young today."

"Seventy-three years young is right," said his fair assistant who was going over the records to find how many of the old guard who had, since May 30, 1915, joined the "Innumerable caravan which moves to that majestic realm, where each shall take his chamber in the silent halls of death."

The captain had received a postal card from Richard R. Flynn, the commissioner of state aid, with headquarters at the state house. The postal card read: "Cheer up! I'm no spring chicken, myself. Birthday greeting from Richard R. Flynn."

"It's nice to be remembered," said the captain, whose eyes gleamed with the pleasure he felt in receiving the postal and he was about to say something real nice about Mr. Flynn, when a messenger entered with the following congratulatory note from His Honor, the mayor:

May 26, 1916.
Capt. George E. Worthen,
State Aid Department,
City Hall.

My Dear Captain:
Permit me to tender you my congratulations and best wishes on your 73rd birthday.

I cannot allow the occasion to pass without giving expression to my ap-

preciation of the valuable and efficient service that you have given the city, as supt. of state aid, and I am confident that every attaché of city hall, will join with me in the sincere hope that the city may continue to have your services for many years to come.

Respectfully,
James E. O'Donnell,
Mayor of Lowell.

That Water Leak

The leak in the sand filters connected with the filtration plant at the boulevard has not yet been mended, but the contractor, Mr. Gow, promised that he would have a man here last Tuesday. The department is still waiting to hear from or see Mr. Gow's man. It is expected that he will arrive here Monday. Mr. Gow has been here and has said that the work of repairing the leaks in the collecting pipes in the bottom of the sand filters will not amount to much. He said the joints where the leaks occur could be very easily tightened, but the city, in the meantime, is waiting for sand filtered water and that will not be obtainable until the leaks have been repaired. The general feeling is that no time should be lost in repairing the leaks.

The new Holly pump at the boulevard pumping station underwent an official test some time ago and Engineer Barbour, who was the city's representative during the test, has reported in his letter to the commissioner relative to the test, Mr. Barbour states that the pump exceeded the duty guaranteed by the contractor and just for that the Holly Mfg. Co. will be paid in full on the 15th day of next month.

The Pawtucket Bridge

At the hearing before the harbor and land commission at the state house yesterday, Rep. Lewis, as was stated in yesterday's Sun, opposed the adoption of new plans. After Mr. Lewis was heard, the chairman asked the mayor if he had anything to say with regard to Mr. Lewis' statement. Mr. Lewis had spoken about extra money having been borrowed for the construction of the bridge. The mayor said no extra money had been borrowed, but that at the time the \$50,000 was borrowed no official figures were given as to what the bridge would cost. The \$50,000 was simply a guess and related only to the bridge proper. It did not include the approaches to the bridge and neither did it include the bridge across the canal. The mayor said that at the time the \$50,000 was borrowed it was known that a larger amount would be necessary before the contract could be let. He said that the present city government did not borrow any extra money, but enough money to do the work. He also called attention to the fact that the project had the unanimous support of the members of the city government, and that a law had been passed by the United States government authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Merrimack river at Pawtucket falls.

After the mayor had finished Mr. Lewis said he was not opposed to the bridge, but that he did not believe it was necessary to get any further authority from the harbor and land com-

mission. W. T. S. Bartlett was the only one to appear in opposition.

Would Be Chauffeurs

Forty applicants for chauffeurs' licenses took the weekly examination at city hall this forenoon. The examinations are conducted by the Massachusetts highway commission and the examiners today were Messrs. McConnell, Olson and Lathrop.

Hearings This Evening

Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways, will give hearings on street and sewer petitions at city hall this evening. The hearings will be held in the aldermanic chamber beginning at 7.30 o'clock. There are 21 petitions in all.

TO TAKE UP REVENUE QUESTION

WASHINGTON, May 26—The whole revenue question will be taken up Monday by democratic members of the

house ways and means committee, under a call issued today. They already have informally discussed the prospects and drawn up a tentative bill, which will be reviewed next week. When the bill is perfected, it will be laid before the republican members and then reported to the house.

The bulk of the revenue to be raised under the general bill, which will include provision for a non-partisan tariff commission, will be sought through the income tax, an inheritance tax and a tax on war munition manufactures.

ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN DEAD
LONDON, May 26.—The Most Rev. Joseph Ferguson Peacock, archbishop of Dublin from 1907 to 1915, died today. He was born in Queens county, Ireland, in 1835.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THE UNDERWEAR EVENT OF THE SEASON



756 High Grade Peerless Union Suits, made sleeveless, short, or long sleeves; short, 3/4 or ankle lengths; in fine combed Egyptian cotton, lisle thread or mercerized silk. These high grade union suits are to be sold at about half price.

\$1.00 and \$1.50 Peerless 69c Union Suits

\$1.50 and \$2.00 Peerless 95c Union Suits

\$2.00 and \$3.00 Peerless 1.55 less Union Suits

"THE REASON"

This lot is composed of drummers' samples. Some are slightly soiled, others have slight imperfections, but every garment is guaranteed to give satisfactory service. This lot goes on sale Saturday, at

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The Home of 10c Collars 72 MERRIMACK ST.

DAILY, SEASONABLE SPECIALTIES

Strawberry Shortcake

Rhubarb Pie

RAISIN BREAD The old fashioned kind, a loaf 10c

JOHNSTON'S BAKERY

131 Gorham St.

LIEUT. RICHARDS KILLED

COMMANDER OF U. S. DESTROYER
ER KILLED BY ELECTRIC
SHOCK AT SAG HARBOR

SAG HARBOR, L. I., May 26—Lieut. Clarence Alvin Richards, commander of the United States destroyer Fanning, was instantly killed by an electric shock in the station of the Sag Harbor Light and Power Co., here early today. Harry D. Christian, night watchman at the station, said it appeared to him that the lieutenant deliberately committed suicide by taking hold of two wires heavily charged with electricity.

The Fanning was one of a fleet of war vessels which had been maneuvering in Gardner's Bay and which has made its headquarters here. Many of the men from the fleet were ashore last night but most of them returned to their vessels, which were under orders to leave for Newport at 3 a. m. Christian said Lieut. Richards came to the power station two hours before the fleet was to sail and said he was a government inspector. He pushed a Christian aside and walking into the station, picked up two wires, receiving the shock which killed him.

The Fanning sailed for Newport with the other vessels. Lieut. Richards was appointed to the navy from Kansas and was 34 years old.

FROM A REAL FISHERMAN

JERRY HARRINGTON SAYS SIMON B. HARRIS AND WILLIS S. HOYT NEVER SAW REAL FISHING

"Jerry" Harrington, the man who looks after the switchboard at the central fire station, says it makes him laugh to hear and read what some of the would-be fishermen in and about Lowell have to say about their catches and their success in hooking the denizens of the deep. Jerry says that Pres. Harris and Secretary Hoyt of the Lowell Fish and Game association mean all right and that the local association is doing a whole lot of good, but he says Simon B. and Willis S. have never seen any real fishing.

"When those fellows go after tuna, sword fish and some of the other big fellows," said Jerry, "they will have some license to talk about fishing. And as a matter of fact I don't believe either of them ever caught a tur-bear-ing trout or a woolly perch. I've done a little fishing myself, but I'm not boasting about it and before these fellows around here have much more to say about fish they had better take a trip to the Maritime provinces and see fish what is fish. I've seen trained codfish and chokeless herring in Antigonish."

"But what I had in mind in the beginning was to tell about a tuna, which is nothing more nor less than the old-fashioned horse mackerel. You know that what the doctors call appendicitis now, used to be inflammation of the bowels, and its the same with the names of fish."

"I was sitting in the hotel office in Halifax one day, while on vacation, when a fellow came in and announced that he had taken the biggest fish ever tripped by a rod. He said it was a tuna fish, and I never saw a man so delighted in all my life. He had just finished a hotel in some small summer place outside of Halifax and he was trying to think of a name for it. In fact he said he went fishing just for the purpose of thinking, undisturbed, of a good name for his hotel and before he landed the tuna he thought of a name. He called it Tuna Inn."

"This is some story that I am giving you, mister," asked the fellow what kind of tackle he used and he said he used steel cable. Then I asked him about bait. "Well," he said, "we use herring for bait—whole herring, you know. We use a 16-ounce rod and a whale destroyer or B-ocean reel, and piano wire traces."

"I'll bet Simon B. Harris nor Willis S. Hoyt don't know what a trace is. I didn't until I met the fellow who caught the tuna. The traces are the wires connecting the line and the hook. They use a hook about three inches long, a round hook. When he caught the tuna he used a line two years old. He had 150 yards of 30-thread, spliced to 75 yards of 36."

Some Fish, Indeed

"The fish tipped the scales at 710 pounds. It was 10 feet 4 inches long and had a girth of 11 feet."

"Considerable fish," opined a fellow who was sitting near me.

"Yes, quite a fish," agreed the angler. "Biggest fish ever caught with a rod. Well, sir, I threw out my line and it no sooner struck the water than

HEALTH:

Taunton, Mass.—"The Favorite Prescription has done wonders for me and for my family. I seemed to be going into a decline. My friends were terribly worried about me and my sister insisted on my taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It was miraculous in its results and I have been an unusually healthy woman ever since."

"I cannot say enough in praise of this medicine and am always glad to recommend it."—Mrs. LILLIAN E. MACADAM, 29 Smith St., Taunton, Mass.

A pretty face is the result of a healthy physical condition. "Beauty is but skin deep," yet it greatly depends on a clear complexion, free from wrinkles and hollow cheeks.

Health always brings wealth of beauty. A healthy state of the system comes with Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is a medicine prepared for women's ailments—it cures those derangements and weaknesses which make woman's life miserable.

It is prepared from nature's roots and herbs and does not contain a particle of alcohol or any narcotic. It is not a secret prescription for its ingredients are printed on the wrapper.

Women are earnestly advised to take it for irregular or painful periods, backache, headache, displacement, catarrhal condition, hot flashes, sallow complexion and nervousness.

Write Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for free 136-page book on women's diseases or send 10c for large trial package of "Favorite Prescription" tablets. The sluggish liver can be cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Biliousness, coated tongue, bad breath, are all cleared up and banished by the use of these tiny sugar-coated granules.



INVITING THE MEN AND WOMEN OF LOWELL TO THE OPENING TOMORROW, SATURDAY

WALKER'S SPECIALTY SHOE STORE

AT 185 CENTRAL STREET, BRADLEY BUILDING

In opening one of the Walker Specialty Shoe Stores in Lowell, we do not make claims to do the impossible, we do not claim to be able to give gold for copper or diamonds for glass, we do not claim to sell shoes for less money than they can be manufactured. We do claim, and we will stand firmly back of this assertion, that we will give you the best shoe value for the money possible. We will go even further. We claim that our method of specialization will give you the best possible shoe value that you have been able to secure anywhere outside of a Walker store. We feature

\$3 Shoes for Men and Women

With a Select Line of \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes that are Marvels

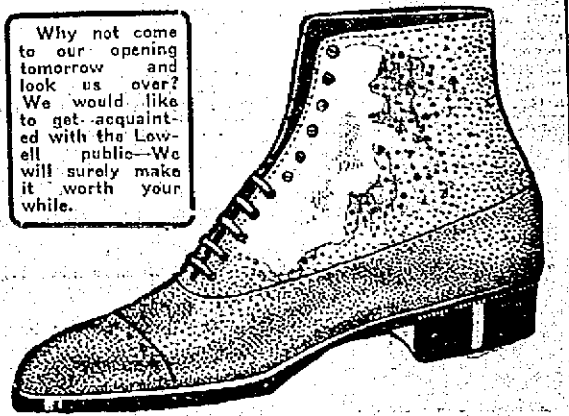
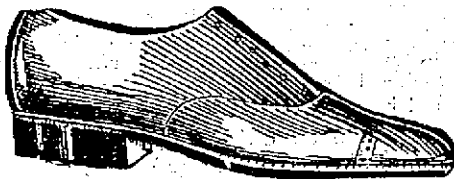
Have you ever thought over the advantages to the consumer of a system of stores and a method of specialization? If in one hundred Walker stores only \$1.00 profit is made each day in each store, do you realize that it means a profit of \$600 per week and \$31,200 per year on the combined 100 stores? Now add to this the specialization of one price shoes, of securing one factory to place all their energy into one line, to give this their undivided attention, and you get a combination that cannot be equaled. You can appreciate what little profit is needed.

THE ABOVE IS LOGICAL AND WILL APPEAL TO ANY PERSON WHO GIVES THE PURCHASE OF HIS SHOES AND THEIR PRICE AND VALUE ANY THOUGHT.

WALKER'S Specialty Shoe Store

185—Central Street—185

BRADLEY BUILDING



Why not come to our opening tomorrow and look us over? We would like to get acquainted with the Lowell public—we will surely make it worth your while.

WHAT THE COOK SAYS

Cook, says she always keeps soup stock on hand and from this as a foundation makes all of her soups. To make a strong stock, use less than one quart of water to each pound of raw meat. Left-over meat can be added to give flavor, also old bones and pieces of corned beef and lean bacon.

Take a shin bone with meat on it weighing 3½ pounds and one pound of lean veal, chopped. Have shin bone cracked. Put meat into large kettle with five quarts of cold water, let stand on side of range for about two hours to draw juice from meat, then bring to boiling point. Now put where it will gently simmer until done, about four hours. Never let it boil hard during the whole time.

When stock is done, put into a stone crock and add about one tablespoon salt, pepper, to taste. If there is not enough salt, you can add more when you use it. Put in a cold place, and the next day take off fat, which you can use for soap or put in grippings.

Strain, and then a second time through a cheesecloth, so it will be nice and clear. Return to your crock in a cool place. The stock should not be boiled long in reheating, as this spoils it somewhat.

Cook says to save all sausage fats, ham and boiled beef until you have a five-pound pail, then put in a kettle as large as you can, add to it the same amount of water, or double the amount if you can, put on the stove and let it boil five or ten minutes. Set away until the next day.

Then turn out the water and add as much more, and boil the same way again. Repeat it twice more. The third time, the water will be most clear. Then set the fat on the stove, slice in a raw potato, let it boil five minutes, then turn out the top and skim all that rises to the top and you have fat that you can use to fry doughnuts in or any use you wish. When making cookies roll dough in large sheet and bake in large pan. Score it in squares or triangles, and when cool break off neatly. Use tooth-

picks to bind chicken together when stuffing and wind them with a string. When cooked remove toothpicks.

For soup making put vegetables through meat chopper. They cook quicker and make better soup.

Always pour boiling water over fruit and let stand till cool for easy peeling.

No matter how careful one may be, kitchen walls will get covered with spots and dust. They should be wiped down as soon as they take on that dingy look that one sees so often. Cook suggests that you try this method.

Take dry cooking soda in a clean bowl, wet a sponge or cloth with clean water then take up as much soda as will cling to your cloth and wash your walls. Don't use any soap. Rinse wall

off with clear water and go over it with a dry cloth.

The same method is used to clean white iron bedsteads.

With the coming of spring and summer the use of salads and green should be increased, and a salad or greens should be served at least once a day at every table.

There need be very little waste in the use of lettuce and other greens and many housewives add them to vegetable soup.

But it is quite possible to make good use of them by cutting them carefully into strips with a silver knife, when they are too broken. Thus, they may be used as the foundation for a meat salad or as garnishings for beefsteak or other broiled meat.

Cook says the secret of successful spring cleaning lies in the proper preparation of each room before starting the actual work. It is advisable to start with the attic and work downwards to the kitchen.

When cleaning the paint, begin at the windows. Have a small stick handy for the corners. White paint should be cleaned with a mixture of whiting and water, which should be wiped off before it has time to dry.

Floors should be thoroughly

scrubbed with boiling water and soda strongly mixed, and afterward washed with soap and water.

Cook says that the addition of something different always adds zest to the appetite. Grate an apple into your horseradish and you will have as fine a relish as you could possibly wish, also adding a pinch of ground cloves to a cup of tea.

See what a difference a little almond extract makes when added to pineapple. Combine coffee and chocolate for a change. Use a slice of orange in place of the usual slice of lemon for afternoon tea. Use a teaspoon of vanilla in hot chocolate. Rub brown sugar over a slice of ham before cooking. Use sliced apple and tender uncooked rhubarb for a spring salad.

Try Tarragon vinegar in place of the common vinegar for a while. Use peanut oil as a dressing to a tart salad. See how pleasing a little rose extract is when blended with vanilla in cornstarch pudding.

Mrs. Clara S. Lamb is the only woman recruiting officer in Canada, and clad in military uniform she has charge of a recruiting office in Ontario.

FIRE ON BRIDGE STREET

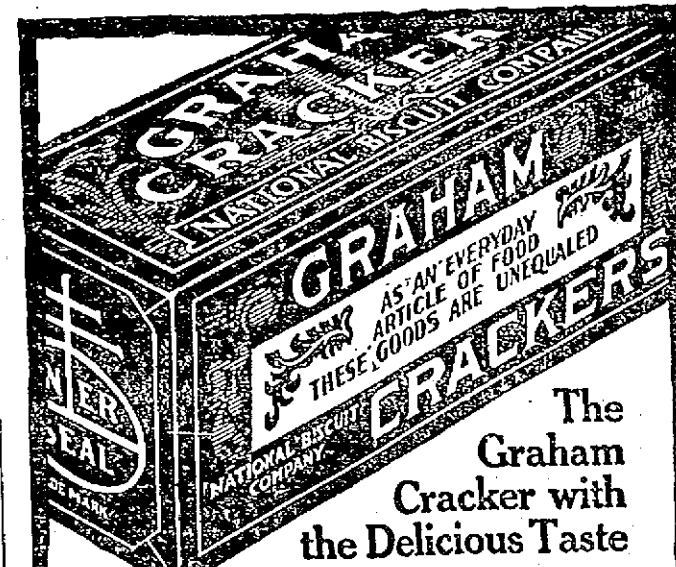
PROMPT RESPONSE OF FIRE
DEPARTMENT SAVED THE
STRUCTURE

An alarm from box 6 at 8 o'clock this morning summoned a portion of the fire department to a lively blaze in the cellar of an old barn in the rear of 322 Bridge street. The blaze was confined to the rubbish in the cellar and but little damage was done to the building. But for the timely discovery of the fire, however, the fire would have been more serious for there are several wooden structures within a few feet of the barn.

The cellar of the barn was filled with papers and old rubbish and it is thought that some children who were playing in the vicinity probably threw a lighted match into the cellar. Owing to the narrow passageway between the barn and other buildings the firemen experienced a little difficulty in getting at the centre of the blaze. The building is owned by John H. Eacrett.

BRANDEIS VOTE TOMORROW
WASHINGTON, May 26.—By unanimous consent, action on the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis to the supreme court was postponed by the senate yesterday at its executive session. Senators opposed to confirmation desired additional time in which to determine on their course. With the understanding that opposition senators soon would reach a decision, and with the hope that the brief postponement might result in an immediate vote on confirmation without debate, friends of Mr. Brandeis consented to the matter going over until tomorrow.

The Russian army has many Jean de Arcs.



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Black nylon re-enforced with black taffeta is the material used for this quaint gown. The five skirt flounces are made bouffant, with inflexible pipings, and slender strapping of taffeta over white georgette crepe under pinon give the simple waist. The only other triumph is a few eled Russian X 1000.

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TALE OF MEXICAN STRIFE

Former United States Consul
Thinks That U. S. Troops Will
Never Catch Villa

Members of the Teachers' organization were splendidly entertained in high school hall last evening by Edward H. Thompson, archaeologist, who gave an illustrated talk on Mexico. Mr. Thompson was for 25 years United States consul in southern Mexico. He talked interestingly of the country and its men. Mr. Thompson does not believe the report that there are 1600 Yaqui Indians dogging United States troops to attack them. He says they are friends of Obregon and if following at all he thinks they are following to help, not with hostile intent.

Asked where Villa is supposed to be, Mr. Thompson said he is supposed to be in a great many different places. He gave as his opinion, however, that Villa is in the northeast portion of Durango, in that portion where the Carranza troops have no power. He was there when Porfirio Diaz was looking for him and Mr. Thompson allowed if Diaz couldn't get him, the United States troops are not very apt to discover him.

Asked if he thought it was well for the United States to interfere in Mexico, the speaker said it would have been all right had we been more energetic about it in the first place. "If we had followed Villa up immediately," he said, "we would undoubtedly have caught him, for he had to pass through a section where the Indians were hostile to him. We halted several days just at the wrong time. Villa had gotten out of the territory of his enemies, and into that of his friends, where he has a wife in every village, whose relatives will protect him. I doubt if we ever get him."

Government of Mexico
Mr. Thompson gave some important facts about the government of Mexico, which he says, is supposed to be very much like the government of the United States, but it is like the United States only insofar as it has a written constitution. The resemblance stops there. The government is supposed to be administered about the same as ours, until we get to the official who corresponds best to our

mayor. He is called the political chief, and he has all the powers that our mayors have, and others commonly supposed to be vested in the czar or in the kaiser. As an illustration of this official's power, he told how one of the political chiefs rid his city of prowling thieves who used to hold up servant girls and rob them. He held a conference with several policemen, after which, when you walked the streets in the morning you would come upon a policeman guarding a dead man. The policeman would explain that the dead man was a thief, whom he had captured, that the thief attempted to escape, and he shot him. Under the law, a policeman may not strike or otherwise harm a prisoner in his custody, but if the prisoner attempts to run away, he may shoot him. These policemen, acting under instructions of the man higher up, would capture a thief and then turn their backs for a moment. Naturally the prisoner would start to run away, and then the officer would shoot him. By this method, the town was rid of prowling thieves.

North and South
It is a significant fact, Mr. Thompson said, that the first outbreak of this trouble occurred simultaneously in the extreme north and the extreme south of Mexico. He showed pictures, first, of Yucatan, including some of the still existing buildings of the dead city where dwell the ancient "people of the sacred well." On one occasion, he said, when he was lodging in the ancient monastery, he was disturbed by noise in the night, and jumped out of bed to investigate, landing with both feet on a monstrous coiled boa constrictor, which was after a pair of ducks that had sought safety within the monastery walls. The people of Yucatan, he said, are called the "Yankees of Mexico" and in some respects they deserve the title. The chief industry is sisal fibre and they do a large business with the United States. They are the descendants of the Spanish conquerors. The people who work the land are the Mayas.
No one can tell, he said, any one

cause that has made this Mexican revolution inevitable, because no such one cause exists. Porfirio Diaz was first a soldier and then a statesman; but he was first, last and always a soldier. His false friends and counselors were the cause of his downfall.

Illustrating the methods of Porfirio Diaz, he said that he found it necessary to have his friends made governors of the various states. The people of Yucatan wanted to elect their own governor, and did elect a very good man. When Diaz was informed of it, he immediately sent a telegram saying that he was extremely gratified to learn that his friend had been elected, and that in order to properly celebrate the event, he had sent five regiments of soldiers. The friend of Diaz served as governor.

Obregon, Carranza's Friend
Carranza, Mr. Thompson says, is really a man of fine character, well educated, and, he believes, thoroughly upright and sincere. But he expressed some doubt as to whether he has the power to keep his command, under the existing conditions. Many people think Obregon proposes to take the command away from Carranza, but he doubts that, and believes that Obregon is sincerely Carranza's friend.

He showed a picture of the governor of Yucatan, and said that about the time this governor came in, he went out, under thrilling circumstances, which he related. He said that when the people of Yucatan were expected to do military service, they objected, but being placed under compulsion, said that they would help with money, if they could be let alone. Money was badly needed, and so Carranza made the promise to them, that they should not be disturbed. Carranza himself would have kept his promise, but he was surrounded by adventurers who, when minerals were discovered there, went down and made trouble. There was an uprising, and during the trouble Mr. Thompson received word that 11 of his friends, most of them professors in the Mexican college, were fugitives, trapped in a remote place on the coast, and unless they were rescued would certainly be executed. The only way that he could rescue them was to go after them himself. He succeeded in getting a small craft which he provisioned as well as he could, and started after his friends. When he found them the number had increased to 20, and two were women. They were all taken on board, and while they were on the gulf the line storm came up. The bailed all night, with their hats, the women sewing up the rents in the hats when they gave way. They had some brown and blue paint in the boat, and they succeeded in making an American flag, which they used as a signal of distress. On the 10th morning, they were seen by the crew of a fishing craft and were taken on board and fed, for their provisions had become exceedingly scanty. It was discovered that they were 255 miles from Cuba, in the Caribbean sea. They had drifted out of the Gulf of Mexico. However, they finally got safely into the harbor of Havana, after which the consul saw the authorities at Washington and then came back to Boston.

ARMY REORGANIZATION BILL
WASHINGTON, May 26.—Advocates of industrial preparedness displayed interest today in the \$145,000,000 army appropriation bill's provision for an official council whose duty would be to coordinate industries and other economic resources in time of war. The council would consist of six members of the cabinet and would be aided by an advisory commission of seven experts.
The bill, approved yesterday by the house military committee, will be reported to the house next Tuesday. It includes provision for making the day-chamberlain army reorganization bill effective and is the largest army supply measure in the history of congress.

SCHOOL HOUSE SOLD
SIMON H. HARRIS DISPOSED OF PROPERTY FOR CITY AT SUM OF \$2015

The school street school building consisting of a two-story wooden structure with almost 9,000 square feet of land was sold to the highest bidder yesterday afternoon. The sale was conducted by Auctioneer Simon B. Harris with an attendance of about 25.
The first bid, \$1,000 was offered by Charles Wotton and gradually the bids increased until the property was struck off to Mrs. Eugene H. Cantin of 44 Mt. Vernon street for the sum of \$2015. Present at the sale was Commissioner Donnelly under whose direction the sale was conducted.

Mrs. Ann Fowler, who is now 103 years of age and the oldest woman in Baltimore, remembers well the Battle of Waterloo.



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120 Dozen Sample Hats at About 1-3 Below Regular Prices

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\$2.50 Hats, at, each	\$1.49	75c and \$1.00 Odd Lots, at, each	59c
\$2.00 Hats, at, each	\$1.29	Children's Straw Hats, in all the new shapes—Alpine, square, round and rah rah styles in different colors of trimming or plain black, only, each	45c
\$1.50 Hats, at, each	98c		
\$1.00 Hats, at, each	79c		

PALMER STREET



Special Muslin Underwear Values

In the Ready-for-Wear Section

At 15c Each—Ladies' Corset Covers, lace and hamburg trimmed, 20c value.	At 79c—Ladies' Night Gowns, made of good nainsook in several new patterns and nicely trimmed, \$1.00 value.	At 79c Each—Ladies' Envelope Chemise, lace and hamburg trimmed, made of fine nainsook in all new styles.
At 25c—Ladies' Corset Covers in several styles, front and back trimmed with fine hamburg, lace and ribbon.	At 98c—Ladies' Night Gowns, made of very fine nainsook, round, square, and V neck and back and front trimmed with very fine lace and hamburg, \$1.25 to \$1.50 value.	At 98c Each—Ladies' Envelope Chemise, made of very fine quality nainsook, trimmed with very fine dainty lace and hamburg, \$1.25 to \$1.50 value.
At 39c Each—Ladies' Corset Covers in large variety of styles, lace and hamburg trimmed, 50c value.	WHITE SKIRTS	LADIES' COMBINATIONS
LADIES' DRAWERS	At 49c Each—Ladies' Skirts, deep hamburg flouncing in several patterns, 75c value.	At 49c Each—Ladies' Combination Skirts or Drawers, good material and nicely trimmed, 75c value.
At 25c Pair—Ladies' Drawers, made of fine cotton and cambric, hamburg trimmed.	At 79c Each—Ladies' White Skirts in several new patterns, made of good nainsook, lace and hamburg flouncing, \$1.00 value.	At 79c Each—Ladies' Combinations, made several new styles, lace and hamburg trimmed, \$1.00 value.
At 39c Pair—Drawers, made of fine nainsook and cambric, trimmed with very fine lace and hamburg.	At 98c Each—Ladies' White Skirts, made of very fine nainsook in large assortment of patterns, lace and hamburg flouncing and ribbon, \$1.25 to \$1.50 value.	At 98c Each—Ladies' Combination Skirts or Drawers, made of very fine nainsook, in large assortment of patterns and nicely trimmed with fine lace and embroidery, \$1.25 to \$1.50 value.
NIGHT GOWNS	ENVELOPE CHEMISE	
At 49c—Ladies' Night Gowns, lace and hamburg trimmed back and front square and round neck, 69c value.	At 49c Each—Envelope Chemise, made of good material in several new styles, lace and hamburg trimmed, 75c value.	

Ladies' Sport and Outing Skirts

We are showing a large variety of sport and outing skirts made in the latest models at a great saving from the regular prices.

At 59c Each—Ladies' Sport Skirts, made of heavy white linene in very attractive models, 75c value.	At 98c Each—Ladies' Sport Skirts, made of nice quality pique, gabardine, linene, repp, black and pink stripes and rose and blue linene, made about ten different models, \$1.50 value.
At 75c Each—Ladies' Outing and Sport Skirts, made of fine black and white check in new models with pockets, \$1.00 value.	At \$1.49 Each—Ladies' Sport Skirts, made several new models, white gabardine and awning stripes, \$2.00 value.
	At \$1.98 Each—Ladies' Outing Skirts, made of very nice quality of gabardine in the latest models, \$2.50 value.

MERRIMACK STREET

BASEMENT

BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION

Boys' Wash Suits At Very Low Prices

At 49c Suit—Boys' Wash Suits, made fine chambray, gingham, and crash, made in several new models, sizes 3 to 10 years.	At \$1.49 Suit—Boys' Wash Suits, junior norfolk and vestee styles, sizes 3 to 10 years, made of fine galatea, gingham, woven madras and linene, \$2.00 value.
At 98c Suit—Boys' Wash Suits, sizes 3 to 10 years, junior norfolk and vestee styles, made of good fast color galatea, gingham, madras, linene and fine percales, \$1.25 value.	At \$1.98 Suit—Boys' Wash Suits, made of fine galatea, gabardine, madras, repp and linene in large assortment of patterns, \$2.50 value.
	SPECIAL—200 Boys' Blue Serge Suits at \$5.00 Suit—Now on sale, 200 Boys' Suits, made of all wool serge, norfolk styles, three piece belts and lined pants, \$6.00 value.

PALMER STREET

BASEMENT



SHOE SPECIALS

Women's White Canvas 8 Inch High Cut Lace Boot, very popular this season, all sizes 2-12 to 7. Sale price.....\$1.98	Women's White Canvas with white rubber soles and heels, all sizes 2-12 to 6. Just the thing for field day. Sale price \$1.49
Women's White Buck Button Boot and low cuts; also white buck pumps, all sizes. Regular \$2.50 and \$3.00. Sale price.....\$1.49	A Large Assortment of Women's Pumps in a variety of new styles, mostly welts, made to sell for \$3.00 and \$3.50. Our price.....\$1.98 and \$2.49

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ANNIVERSARY SPECIALS—

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Long White Skirts, with flounce of Val. lace or nainsook embroidery. Regular price \$1.25. Anniversary sale price.....	89c
Long White Skirts, with 18 inch flounce of embroidery, and ribbon run. Regular price \$1.50. Anniversary sale price.....	\$1.00
Women's Night Robes, of good quality of crepe, edged with Torchon lace or embroidery, and ribbon drawn. Regular price 69c. Anniversary sale price.....	50c
Night Robes, of nainsook with yoke of medallions. Val. lace and headings; others of cambric with yoke of tucks and embroidery. Regular price \$1.00. Anniversary sale price.....	79c
Envelope Chemise, with yoke of organdie lace, and ribbon drawn. Regular price 69c. Anniversary sale price.....	50c
Women's Drawers, with cluster of tucks and deep ruffle of embroidery. Regular price 39c pair. Anniversary sale price.....	25c PAIR

ANNIVERSARY SPECIALS—

GLOVES AND HOSIERY

16 Button Silk Gloves, black, tan, white and gray, all double finger tips, and embroidered backs. Regular \$1.00 quality. Sale price.....	63c PAIR
2-Clasp Kid Gloves, in tan, gray, black and white; white slightly soiled; also broken sizes. Regular \$1.00 quality. Sale price.....	67c PAIR
Children's Black Lisle Hose, double soles, heels and toes. Regular value 25c. Sale price.....	19c PAIR
Women's Fibre Silk Hose, in all colors, double lisle soles and double garter tops, seconds of the 50c quality. Sale price.....	39c PAIR

ANNIVERSARY SPECIALS—

TOWELS AND CRASHES

Huck Towels, 22x45, extra large, soft and pliable. Never sold for less than 17c. Anniversary sale price.....	12½c EACH
500 Yards Unbleached Crash, good, firm quality. Regular price 12½c. Anniversary sale price.....	10c
"Fruit of the Loom" Remnants, regular 12½c quality. Anniversary sale price.....	9½c YARD
Hemstitched Pillow Slips, 32x36, heavy firm quality. Regular price 19c. Anniversary sale price.....	12½c EACH

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LAX PROPERTY OWNERS

Property owners in this city are the first to call for fire protection, but some of them are unwilling to promote it, when it means a few dollars out of their respective pockets. It is the experience of firemen who call the attention of the public to fire hazards that some of the loudest shouters are the greatest shirkers. They will advocate many improvements and define the city's duties, but when the argument hits home, they are most anxious that the other fellow should stand the expense. They would like to see the fire insurance reduced and the city made safer—so long as they are not taxed for their share of the cost.

Selfishness cannot be tolerated in anything that would conduce to fire prevention and all citizens will have to stand their proportionate share if results are to be attained. The property owners who are the first to kick when asked to co-operate with the city authorities would kick a great deal harder if the city were swept by a conflagration. It is not fair for one or two or six men in a street to endanger the property of their neighbors, and the law should be enforced to the letter, irrespective of whom may be hurt in the process.

To reduce the fire hazards in Lowell, it has been found necessary sometimes to call in the state authorities, but we ought to be able to deal with the owners of fire traps without outside aid. The authorities know the regulations and they may easily discover cases where these are being violated. Let us have no more of this catering to this or that selfish owner of property, but in the interest of better protection for all let us have a rigid enforcement of the law and the city regulations.

No man would be allowed to go out with a lighted torch and set fire to his home or store or barn. Why then should he be allowed to let his property become a menace or invite fire hazards? The great majority of Lowell citizens will stand back of any earnest attempt to make the city safer, and the growls of the occasional property owner will be drowned out in the chorus of approval. The fire commissioner, his chief and his men are therefore advised to enforce the law without fear or favor.

DAMAGED BY TRUCKS

Chairman Sohler of the state highway commission believes with The Sun that the general use of the heavy auto truck has made the care and upkeep of streets and roads a very expensive proposition. He says that if the heavier type of trucks continues to increase in proportion to the past few years, it will impose a burden of millions yearly on the state to keep the roads in shape. It is estimated that it now costs the state three millions to keep the roads in proper condition, and the commission says it needs five millions. Streets and roads that were constructed in the days of horse-drawn vehicles are now torn and pounded by the immense trucks that carry enormous quantities of freight, and in spring when the frost is coming out great ruts are ploughed into the roads, necessitating immediate attention to prevent further deterioration. The change is also reflected in the construction of bridges which are now built with special regard for the great truck loads that continually pass over.

There are only two alternatives to meet the condition. Either the streets and roads must be paved with heavier and more enduring material or there must be a limit to the weight which the trucks are permitted to carry. It is not likely that business would countenance any limitation in a field that is quite undeveloped, and cities, towns, the state and the nation must provide for the modern emergencies by making larger appropriations for streets and roads and by constructing them on a more enduring scale. New conditions create new problems—and this is one of the practical problems of the age. Incidentally, the use of the large auto truck is cutting into the profits of the railroads and business firms in cities such as ours. It is not at all unusual to see immense loads of furniture, etc., from Boston firms in Lowell streets, having been brought over the roads, and to counteract this—which is not in the interest of Lowell—our people must cultivate a greater spirit and be more loyal to local merchants.

THE HEROIC FRENCH

No revelation of the war has been more inspiring than the patriotism and national vitality shown by the French in their opposition to the marvelous German war machine. They have borne the brunt of the fighting and wherever the German forces have been stayed, the greatest share of credit is due to gallant France. When a few days ago it was announced that the Germans had lost Fort Douaumont, the world was loud in admiration and though it has been won back it is at a price that will tell against Germany in future onslaughts. For efficiency, perseverance, and the spirit of self-sacrifice, France has risen to unexpected heights.

Whatever the ultimate result may be, the trial that France is passing through shall refine and spiritualize her national life and burn away all

the traces of decadence that were so commented on before the war. Her people are united as never before in a bond of patriotic devotion, and the qualities brought out so strongly during the past few years cannot speedily die. The rejuvenated France that we now see is the France of the great old days when her culture was as powerful as her armies, when her literature moulded the world and when her idealism leavened the world. Even in the hate of war, Germany has been forced to admit that in France it faces a valiant foe, and many haters of England have been drawn to the side of the allies by their love for a nation that is winning undying glory.

SHE BROKE THE RULES

To discover somebody who has attained the ripe age of 100 and not to ask the reason why is an unpardonable sin in newspaper ethics. There are but rare instances of it, however, while scarcely a week goes by that we are not regaled by the story of a life which has been extended by rigid adherence to all the commandments and domestic virtues.

Occasionally a man or woman is found who will proudly say that he or she grew old gracefully by doing about as they pleased and never bothering much with rules and regulations. An example comes from Indiana where a woman died recently at the age of 100. We are told that she drank gin, smoked habitually, took snuff, ate everything that appealed to her and never bothered about her diet, abominated ventilation and slept in a room with closed windows. To the last she was vigorous and alert mentally and physically, she enjoyed her meals and did them justice and was remarkably sunny and cheerful.

Without going so far as to advise others to follow her example, we cannot quite conceal our admiration for this cheerful old lady who broke all the rules and lived long enough to bury scores of contemporaries who had observed them. She is a relief after the lectures on efficiency, eugenics, sanitation, clean-up movements and "safely first" campaigns. If she proves anything it is that there are exceptions to all rules and that sometimes the human body can stand a lot of abuse.

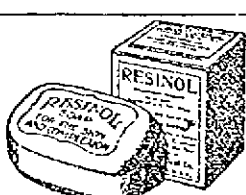
WHY CAMDEN GREW

Camden, N. J., is quite puffed up over its phenomenal growth to a population of over 100,000 and it is celebrating with a civic exposition. It especially emphasizes the great diversity of its industries—something for which it may justly be proud. It makes 90 per cent of the writing pens used all over the world; it makes a great percentage of the records for phonographs, paper boxes, gas mantles, steam heating apparatus, candy, macaroni, cork products, cigars, wire staples, lace, whitening, licorice, bricks, iron castings, oilcloth, linoleum, etc.—all on a large scale. It also has the usual lesser industries, and being across the river from Philadelphia, it has ambitions.

Many cities larger than Camden are dependent on one or a very few industries, but they regret it. Here in Massachusetts we have cities striving hard to offset the deficiency, realizing that a strike or lockout would cripple the community in every respect. Camden might have half a dozen distinct labor disputes, but there would still be enough to do for the greater part of the population. For many years Lowell has been fortunate in attracting diversified industries and in consequence our outlook is so much the brighter. Camden is not yet as large as Lowell, but as we grow we ought to grow in the Camden way.

UNKNOWN HEROES

But few stories of individual heroism have come out of this the greatest war in the world's history, and yet its heroes are numbered by the hundreds of thousands. This is partly due to the rigid censorship which prevents any details except the large re-



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suits to filter out, but it is due in greater measure to the changed style of warfare. Today, the guns are more important than the men, though to be sure, the men must be supplied as food for sacrifice. The imagination balks at pictures of battles such as those of Verdun where the very hills are powdered by the incessant rain of shells. From the accounts we know that it is not uncommon for hundreds to be destroyed in a second, and greater numbers have been buried by the collapse of trenches under the rain of fire. Our feelings have been deadened by the length of the conflict, but in the reflection that will follow the dawn of peace, the world may well ask if anything can atone for the great host of the noble dead that has been crunched by the war machine of the nations.

LANDMARKS GOING

The destruction of the Capt. Jacob Smith homestead in Westford a day or two ago adds another to the list of historic landmarks in this section wiped out by fire during the past few years. It is a pity to see the Colonial relics going so rapidly, but in the frequent changing of ownership, risks are inevitable. Realizing the value of preserving that which cannot be replaced societies everywhere are taking pains to prevent further destruction and each loss should impress on all the need for further safeguarding the treasures that are left.

BRYAN?

William Jennings Bryan, it is said, will be at the coming democratic convention not as a delegate but as a newspaper reporter, so it looks as though his capacity for making trouble will be curtailed. There is also the possibility that he may head the prohibition ticket, and since he must be the head of something or other he might as well be there as anywhere else—if the prohibitionists can stand for him.

SEEN AND HEARD

It isn't every suffragist who can make good bread.

It is funny, the older you get, how things which were once of importance seem trivial to a high degree.

"That was a pretty tough-looking bunch surrounding you," said a fellow to Charlie Morse as Charlie pulled away from six or seven panhandlers. "They don't bother me. I've been surrounded by Indians and gray wolves in my day," said Charlie.

He's in Wrong Forever

Some time ago a party named Brown

USING UP VITALITY

The struggle for success uses up vitality in America at a greater rate than any other thing. Fighting to keep away from the poor-house we shorten the distance to the grave.

Especially in middle age, at forty or thereabouts, do we become impressed with the necessity of laying up a competence and with that feeling in time comes worry, nervous breakdown, neurasthenia. The entire system feels the result of the nervous strain. The digestion resents things that it accepted before, the heart palpitates on slight exertion, the muscles of the back ache after a day's work. Your blood is thinner and not so bright a red.

When these things occur, whether you are fourteen or forty, you need a tonic. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills suit most people's need because they are non-alcoholic and they really build up the blood and strengthen the nerves. They are useful for growing children and for men and women whose nervous energy has been overtaxed.

Your druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or they will be sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes \$2.50 by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Write today for free booklets on the blood and nerves.



SALN FOOT TABLETS FOR

TIRED, ACHING SWEATY FEET

How to keep your feet healthy. There is just one right way to do anything. Now if your feet ache you can't look pleased, your mind is constantly reverting to that aching foot. No doubt you have tried everything in the market for foot ailments. We can give you foot comfort and still grant you the right to wear the shoes that your fancy dictates. We can even please you by enabling you to wear a smaller and a narrower shoe than you have been in the habit of wearing and still have comfort—Remember we are not theorists, we are experienced in the fitting of feet and providing for the comfort of shoe wearers.

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had an appointment with a man in a distant city. And when the business was transacted he was urged to accompany the other to a reception.

"Jim," he remarked on reaching the house where the reception was held and glancing around the room, "who is that painted party stacked up against the paper-mache palm who looks like a cross between an Egyptian mummy and a circus clown?"

"That," replied Jim, with a rapidly chilling expression, "is my wife."

"Great Scott! Jim!" was the unabashed rejoinder of Brown. "I went straight to headquarters for information, didn't I?"

Found It Delicious

A cook at a cheap lodging house played a little game on a grumbling boarder by serving him with a piece of solid leather instead of beefsteak.

"You have changed your butcher, Mrs. Hascher," said the boarder, looking up at the landlady, after saving two or three minutes at the kitchen.

"Same butcher as usual," replied the boarding house keeper, with a patronizing smile. "Why?"

"Oh, nothing much," said the lodger, trying to make an impression on the landlady with his knife and fork. "Only this piece of meat is the tenderest I have had in this house for some weeks."

It's the Modern Way

"What is your diagnosis, doctor?"

"Well, I find that you have a little inflammation in the ears, your throat is slightly affected, your digestive organs are not functioning properly and there is evidence of bronchitis."

"But can you fix me up?"

"Well, I advise that you go to Dr. Tappan for your ears; across the street you find Dr. Swallow, who is a throat specialist, and Dr. Pepsin will understand your digestive difficulties. As to your bronchitis, you should see a good lung expert at once."

"But isn't there anything the matter with me that you can cure?"

"Yes; you have a \$10 bill in your wallet; I'll relieve you of that."

Silence is Golden

"Do you think, my darling," he gurgled as he buried his manly mustache in his charmer's silk soft neck, "that your father will consent to our marriage?"

"Well," she replied, "of course, papa will be sorry to lose me, still—"

"But," interrupted the ardent one. "I will remind him that instead of losing a daughter he will gain a son."

A deadly pallor overspread her damask cheek.

"Clarence," she cried. "If you really want me, I implore you to say nothing so foolish. Papa has three sons living with him now, and he's extremely touchy on the subject."

All That Was Needed

There were two rival delegates at a political convention in one of the western states who got into a serious personal dispute.

"Oh, you're crazy!" shouted one.

"I'm not crazy!" denied the other first.

"But you are crazy!" vociferated the first.

"I can prove that I'm not crazy, and that's more than you can do," came back the rejoinder.

"Let's see you prove it, then."

Whereupon the man who was accused of being crazy pulled from his inside pocket his discharge papers from a nearby insane asylum.

The Perfect Dinner Table

A table cloth that's slightly soiled. A here greedy little hands have tolled; The napkins kept in silver rings. And only ordinary things. From which to eat, and simple fare And just the wife and kiddies there. Of little girl and little boy glad. Who have so very much to say About the happenings of the day.

Four big round eyes that dance with glee

Forever flashing joys at me. To tell of troubles and of fun. The mother with a patient smile Who knows that she must wait awhile. Bare she'll get a chance to say What she's discovered through the day.

She steps aside for girl and lad Who have so much to tell their dad. Perhaps our manners aren't the best. Perhaps our elbows often rest Upon the table, and at times That very worst of dinner crimes, That very shameful act and rude Of speaking are you've downed food. Too frequently, I fear is done. So fast the little voices run Yet why should table manners stay Those tongues that have so much to say?

At many a table I have seen Where wealth and luxury were seen, And I have dined in halls of pride Where all the guests were dignified. But when it comes to pleasure rare The perfect dinner table's where No stranger's face is ever known. No dining hour we spend alone. When little girl and little lad Run riot telling things to dad.

—Edgar A. Guest in the Detroit Free Press.

Couldn't Lose Willie

"Willie," said the Brooklyn heiress, cheerfully, "I have been thinking—"

"Thinking of me, my precious?" asked Willie.

"In a way, yes," replied Gladys.



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The following letter is only one of the thousands on file in the Pinkham office, at Lynn, Mass., proving that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is an article of great merit as shown by the results it produces.

Anamosa, Iowa.—"When I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I suffered with a displacement, and my system was in a general rundown condition. I would have the headache for a week and my back would ache so bad when I would bend down I could hardly straighten up. My sister was sick in bed for two months and doctored, but did not get any relief. She saw an advertisement of your medicine and tried it and got better. She told me what it had done for her, and when I had taken only two bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my head began to feel better. I continued its use, and now I don't have any of those troubles."—Mrs. L. J. HANNAN, R.F.D. 1, Anamosa, Iowa. M

have been thinking that were you to marry me everyone would say you only did it for the sake of my money."

"But Willie was not ashamed one whit."

"What care I for the base, unthinking world?" cried he gallantly, adjusting his immaculate gloves.

"Still, Willie, nothing shall part us. I will marry you or no one."

"My own Gladys?"

"And I will not have people saying unkind things about you, so I am disposing of my fortune to the missionaries. Why, dearest, why are you going?"

Willie looked back through the half open door. "I'm going to become a missionary," he replied.

HELD SMOKE TALK

LUNION GARIN AT GRAFTON HALL

HAD ENJOYABLE MEETING LAST EVENING

A delightful smoke talk was conducted by the members of Union Garin Nationale Independante at its quarters, Grafton hall, last evening. The affair was largely attended and proved very successful. In the early evening a brief business meeting was held with President Timothee Roy in the chair and later a varied entertainment program was given, those taking part being Wilfrid Forget, Aurele Nadeau, Paul Robert, Frank Pelletier, A. Frappier, Nelson Macle, Leo Sylvestre, Maxime Lapine, Napoleon Bernier, Wilfrid Bourdon, Joseph Harvey and Charles Dumont.

Refreshments were served and the party broke up at a seasonable hour all present being unanimous in saying the evening was one of the best conducted by this popular organization for a long time. The committee in charge of the event was as follows: Chairman, Timothee Roy; secretary, Eugene Trudel; treasurer, George Lebrun; Etienne Raymond, Louis Boudreau; Joseph Goyette, Joseph Rivard, A. Dube, Arthur Bertrand, Narcisse Gagnon, Moise Beaudin, A. Demers, N. Desmarais, Narcisse Foucher, Arthur Lavoie, Arthur Girard, Romulus Clermont, Xavier Frappier, Telesphore Nault, Arthur Morin, Honore Normand, Alfred Lebel and others.

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LADIES OF BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

CIETY

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the First Baptist church gave a very enjoyable English tea party last night in the vestry of the church. The various tables were presided over by the following matrons: Mrs. Gilman Alcott, Mrs. John Thorne, Mrs. James Myers, Mrs. Craven Midgley, Mrs. Albert E. French, Mrs. John Fyera, Mrs. J. K. Anderson, Mrs. E. F. Wagner, Mrs. Arthur Dyer, Mrs. Abbie Foster, Mrs. Adelaide Folsom, Miss Fannie Trull, Miss Ivy Hands, Miss Alice Laycock.

A pleasing entertainment was given by the following people: Songs, James McDonald, baritone; Gates Coburn, tenor; Piano solos, Arthur Dows; soprano solo, Miss Bertha Hunt; with violin obligato by Mrs. F. J. Farnam; readings, Royal Hayer, Mrs. E. F. Wagner was accompanist.

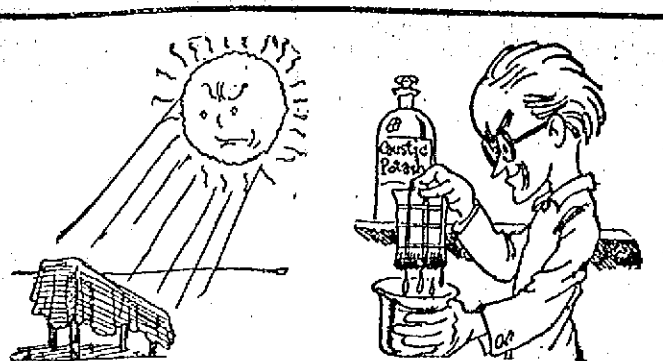
DISCUSSION OF CLOTHES

WOMEN'S CLUBS MAY RECOMMEND CERTAIN DRESS REFORMS AT CONVENTION

NEW YORK MAY 26.—Committee reports and addresses were heard today by the delegates to the biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. Speakers on the morning program were William Dudley Foulke on "Community Art" Dr. Geo. E. Vincent "Home Making as a Fine Art," and David R. Houston, secretary of agriculture.

Event of the afternoon will be a discussion of clothes. It is expected that Mrs. Thomas A. Edison wife of the inventor and an advocate of common sense in women's apparel, will be one of the speakers. There is talk of action recommending certain dress reforms and protesting against the extremes of modern styles.

DREADNOUGHT PENNSYLVANIA NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 26.—The new dreadnought Pennsylvania is to be turned over to the government within the next two weeks, the exact date to be fixed by the navy department, as announced today by shipyard officials here. The Pennsylvania will become the flagship of the Atlantic.



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REV. DR. HUDSON DEAD

BROCKTON, May 26.—Rev. Dr. Alan Hudson, of Cambridge, formerly of Brockton, died of apoplexy early this morning at his summer home at Arlita Island, Cataumet. Dr. Hudson was for 19 years pastor of the First Parish

Congregational church in this city, resigning in September, 1915, to devote himself to literary work. Since that time he has lived in Cambridge. He went to Cataumet two days ago on advice of his physician to seek a rest.

Says Woman's Beauty Depends Upon Health

Health and Vigor Necessitate Regulation of Organs of Elimination.

Skin foods and face creams and powders cannot make a woman beautiful, because beauty lies deeper than that—it depends on health. In most cases the basis of health and the cause of sickness can be traced to the action of the bowels.

The headache, the lassitude, the sallow skin, and the listless eyes are usually caused by constipation. An ideal remedy for women, and one that is especially suited to their delicate organisms, is found in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a mild laxative compound, pleasant to the taste and free from opiates and narcotic drugs of every description. Mrs. Gertrude Jordan, 522 North Liberty St., Indianapolis, Ind., says: "It is simply fine. I have never been able to find anything to compare with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I started using it for the baby and now it is my family standby in all cases where a laxative is needed."

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is sold in drug stores for fifty cents a bot-



MRS. GERTRUDE JORDAN

tle; a trial bottle can be obtained free of charge, by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 134 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois.

NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

House Refers Milk Regulation Bill to Next Legislature — Other Matters

BOSTON, May 26.—The bill of the state department of health for the regulation and supervision of the production, distribution and sale of milk was "referred to the next legislature" yesterday by the Massachusetts house of representatives by a roll call vote of 118 yeas to 53 nays. This action practically means no legislation affecting milk production this session.

The fight for the bill was led by Mr. Sullivan of Boston, democratic leader of the house, who referred to the opponents of the bill as "political farmers."

Mr. Chapman of Ludlow, master of the state grange, requested a definition of the "political farmers." Mr. Sullivan replied that he meant "the master of the state grange, who got himself elected to the house year after year, and came to the legislature to put in bills for the purpose of defeating legislation for the protection of the consumers of milk."

Mr. Chapman demanded of Mr. Sullivan what a "real farmer" was. The democratic leader retorted that a "real farmer" was "a man who tended to his farm and tried to serve the interests of the public by his products."

Mr. Chapman insisted that this was "the same old milk bill which the farmers have been fighting for years, only it had another coat on."

"It's all bosh to talk of controlling out-of-state milk as is proposed in this bill," he declared.

Mr. Catheron of Beverly, Mr. Odlin of Lynn and Mr. Silverman of Boston favored the measure and Mr. Prescott of Grafton, Mr. Williams of Holden, Mr. Frail of Upton and John I. Fitzgerald of Boston opposed it.

The house refused to concur with the senate in its amendments to the bill to provide for extending the jurisdiction and functions of the civil service commission. The amendments put on by the senate have exempted almost every class of employees.

May Demand New Bill

It was well known at the state house yesterday that Gov. McCall is by no means pleased with the legislature's attitude on the bill. It is intimated that he may exercise his prerogative as chief executive and demand a measure more suited to his mind.

Mr. Allen of Newton, chairman of the public service commission, led the fight in the house yesterday. The vote on concurring had 24 yeas to 106 nays. The motion was then made for the appointment of a committee on conference and Speaker Cox appointed as that committee Messrs. Allen of Newton, Kennard of Somerville and Bliss of Malden.

The action of the house in rejecting on a roll call vote of 117 to 59 the bill to provide that the expenses of the public service commission shall be paid by the public utilities over which it has supervision is a strong indication that there will be no legislation this year affecting the public service commission.

All hope of prorogation this week has been abandoned. Speaker Cox said that there was too much work to be done.

The bill to prohibit unfair and malicious diversion of business on public ways and sidewalks was amended so to apply only to habitual practices and not single acts and also to exempt newsboys and peddlers. It was later passed to be engrossed.

The bill to increase the salary of Robert E. Grandfield, secretary of the industrial accident board from \$3000 to \$4000, was passed to be engrossed.

The house accepted the report of reference to the next legislature on the petition of Senator Beck that the civil service law be extended to city clerks.

Mr. Newhall of Stoneham, for the committee on counties, reported ought to pass on the bill to raise to \$2200 the salary of John R. MacKinnon, assistant clerk of courts for Middlesex.

Blackstone Bill Recommended

The bill to promote the bill for the administration of Blackstone and Millville was recommended to the committee on bills in third reading.

The conference committee on the bill to prohibit the practice of law by corporations reported agreement on amendments which will make the bill strictly in accord with the title—"To Prevent Corporations From Practicing Law."

The report was accepted. On the senate bill that one member of the minimum wage commission may be a woman, Mr. Kearney of Boston moved to amend so that labor should be represented on the commission. The amendment was adopted without objection.

Mr. Smith offered an amendment, which was also adopted, to provide that one member of the commission shall be one member of the legislature. The bill was then passed to be engrossed.

Mass. Harp of Worcester, Ball of Deerfield and Phelan of Boston

were appointed a conference committee on the motor vehicles bill.

"Ought to pass" was reported by the ways and means committee on the bill to amend an act to provide for the appointment of a committee on conference and Speaker Cox appointed as that committee Messrs. Allen of Newton, Kennard of Somerville and Bliss of Malden.

Young of Weston; on the bill to ap-

portion the cost of Wellington bridge and on the appropriation of \$600 for maintenance of the Massachusetts educational exhibit at the Panama exposition.

Committee on Auto Trip

The house ways and means committee of the Massachusetts legislature took an automobile trip to Newburyport yesterday afternoon and had dinner at the Hotel Newburyport. Before dinner the members visited Rep. Samuel I. Collins, one of their number, who has been ill with rheumatism for two weeks at his Amesbury home.

To their chairman, Joseph E. Warner of Taunton, the members of the committee presented a 32-volume set of "American Statesmen."

Some of Representative Collins' "Samplings," which Mr. Warner has preserved in a printed pamphlet for the benefit of the committee, are:

"I said to my daughter when I left for the legislature, to put any character I had in the little hair trunk in the garret; I'd use it again when I got back home."

"You can frame up something good about most everything—even hell; it's warm there."

"Talk about commissions, one hand can't begin to wash the other, much less wipe it."

"There is generally plenty of rubbish in most everybody's back yard. If you care to get at it to dig it up."

"The state is the best example of 'Let George do it.'"

Pass Redistricting Bill

The state senate yesterday passed to be enacted the redistricting bill, which provides for new lines of the senatorial, councilor and representative districts.

The income tax bill was enacted. The senate insisted on its position in favor of the bill to provide for preference to citizens for employment as teachers and laborers on public works and to provide for the payment of the prevailing rate of wages to the same classes of public employees.

The senate passed to be engrossed the bill providing for permanent tenure of office of fire chiefs in the Metropolitan district.

It occurred in the amendment to the bill to provide for punishment of reckless drivers of motor vehicles and in the house amendment to the bill to reorganize the state board of insanity.

The committee on ways and means reported against the bill to abolish the board of boiler rules. The bill is rejected under suspension of the rules.

Two of the senate pages, Henry F. Welch of Somerville and George T. Taylor of Worcester, have been appointed by the sergeant-at-arms of the republican convention at Chicago as pages to accompany the Massachusetts delegation to Chicago.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed at the city clerk's office since the last were published:

Wojciech Dwojak (widowed), 17 Lakeview avenue, 27, operative; Ludwika Zaida, 48, operative.

James Charles Bradley, Lawrence, 35, wine clerk; Mary E. Vaughn (widowed), 44 Merrimack, 35, spinner.

Herbert F. Saffell, 48 Roper, 25, U. S. Cartridge Co.; Hazel U. Webb (widowed), 77 Westford, 28, U. S. Cartridge Co.

Theodoros Teleapopoulos, Stamford, Conn., 22, machinist; Kate Lemmes, 198 Market, 19, operative.

Michael F. Ryne, 209 Worthen, 39, machinist; Della Murray, 14 Rutland, 38, domestic.

John Battersby, 46 Butler avenue, 19, U. S. Cartridge Co.; Doris Jackson, 106 Billerica, 19, Cartridge Co.

Jose Amari Summer, 23, U. S. Cartridge Co.; Maria Pereira, Summer, 17, operative.

Lorenzo Lavallee, 73 First, 19, Mass. Bell shop; Alexandrine Gedeary, 18 Race, 18, twister.

Wilford Staveley, 155 Middlesex, 19, machinist; Sarah T. Hollis, 201 Wilder, 23, at home.

William H. Howe, Wilton, Me., 27, chauffeur; Alice M. Neil, 100 Fulton, 30, at home.

Karol Witalisz, 33 Front, 22, operative; Walerya Kazza, same address, 20, weaver.

Arthur Hubert, 7 Leverett, 23, U. S. Cartridge Co.; Helena Brien, 182 Perkins, 18, operative.

Archibald E. Ross, 65 Lundberg, 25, carpenter; Eliza Gaudette, 23 Agawam, 23, at home.

Manuel Consalves Ramos, 128 Charles, 23, operative; Olinda Souza Caldeira, 136 Charles, 19, operative.

Melvin K. Betrous, 7 Suffolk, 35, merchant; Moura Ayer, G. Rody, 171 Cushing, 29, operative.

Wladyslaw Shkewicz, 47 Davis, 23, laborer; Stanislaw Lachowski, 47 Davis, 23, operative.

Adam Szyszka, 223 Gorham, 25, laborer; Meronika Maczewicz, 9 Bent's court, 19, operative.

Joseph F. McCusker, 38 Suffolk, 31, machinist; Emma Dragon, 303 Moody, 25, window.

Thomas McDowell, 45 Washington, 25, weaver; Margaret McGuirk, 30 Myrtle, 21, operative.

Edward Teague, 101 Pleasant, 22, woolen spinner; Della Kinnane, 22 Pollard, 21, operative.

Clarence E. Whelton, 322 Parker, 21, U. S. Cartridge Co.; Mary E. Gilroy, 96 Congress, 22, at home.

Russell Batchelder Stoddard, 63 Crawford, 24, teacher; Annie Louise Sunnig, same address, 27, nurse.

George T. Noory, 17 Prince, 22, spinner; Demetrio E. Contas, same address, 22, operative.

Stanislaw Paradowski, 10 Howard avenue, 22, laborer; Katarzyna Rpien, 6 Howard avenue, 19, operative.

Y.M.C.A. LECTURES

Three distinct lectures, illustrated with lantern slides will be given at the Y.M.C.A. next Tuesday night. Each lecture will have to do with camp life.

The lectures will follow the presentation of prizes to the Y.M.C.A. athletes who have participated in the events of the morning.

The first will be by Brandon H. Kellogg of Boston, who attended both sessions of the military training at Plattsburg, N. Y., military camp last year. He will present his slides of camp life which were made from photographs taken by him during the summer months.

The second lecture will be by an officer of the association who has had charge of the Y.M.C.A. men's camp on an island in Lake Winnepesaukee. It will be illustrated by 100 slides.

The third and last lecture will be by Thomas R. Williams, head of the boys' work at the local association who has charge of the Nabuasset camp for the past few summers.

Freckle-Face

Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots—How to Remove Easily

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable dealer that it will remove the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine as this is the prescription sold under guarantee of money-back if it fails to remove freckles.

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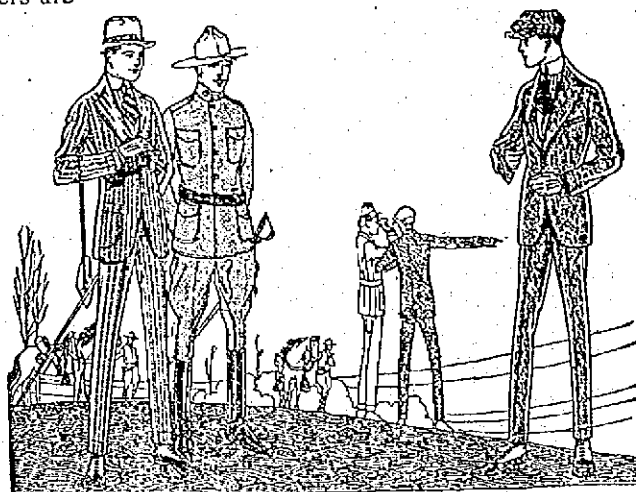
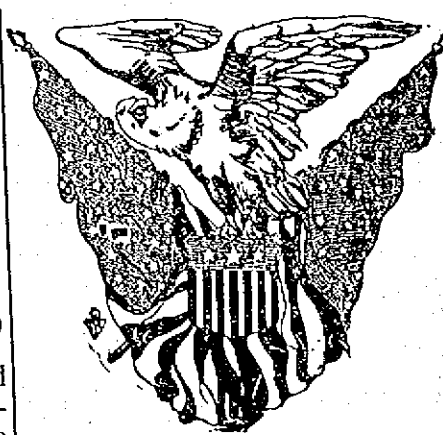
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300 Boys' Wash Suits, made of high grade galatea, in blue, red, and tan stripes, also all white, styles are Tommy Tucker, Billy Boy and Middy suits, sizes 3 to 8 years. Regular value \$1.00. **79c**

BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS

Boys' Norfolk Suits, pinch back style, pants are peg top with buttons at knee band, dark gray mixtures, sizes 6 to 16 years. Special **\$2.49**

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Boys' Better Grade Suits with two pair pants, in the latest styles, and fabrics, light and dark shades. **\$5.00**
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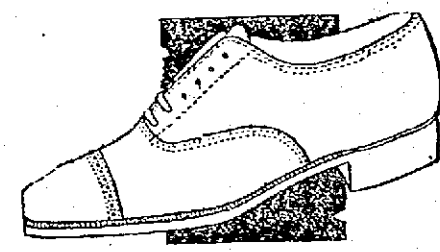
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Men's Ozone ventilated close crotch union suits, made athletic style, knee length; a cool and comfortable garment. Regular \$1.00 value. Marked **.69c**

Men's silk lisle union suits, in white, short sleeve, ankle length. Regular 75c value. Marked **.59c**

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Men's extra size negligee shirts for big men in all the newest summer patterns; made of soisette, madras and Russian cord, every shirt warranted fast color. Coat style, soft French cuff, warranted to fit any big man. Regular \$1.50 value. Marked **\$1.00**

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EVERY DAY ETIQUETTE

"Is it necessary to dress a child five years in mourning upon the death of a would show disrespect," said her brother?" asked a young bereaved mother.

"When a married couple are giving a dinner in honor of another married couple, whom should the host and hostess take in to dinner?" was the query of a youthful hostess.

"The host enters the room first with the lady who is the guest of honor. The hostess goes in last with the mother."

"When at dinner where finger bowls are used, how should I use them?" inquired George.

"Simply dip your fingers into the towel and wipe them on your napkin. If necessary, you may touch your lips also with a moistened finger and wipe them with your napkin," replied his sister.

"When attending a luncheon or dinner where place cards are used, should one leave them upon the table or keep them as souvenirs?" asked Jane.

"Place cards should be retained, because the hostess has had them prepared in expectation of their being

husband of the lady who the host is escorting," advised her aunt.

"Should a widow use her husband's initials or name or her own on her cards?" asked the young widow.

"Legally, a widow has no right to use her husband's initials or name, but public sentiment is in favor of allowing her to do so," said her social mentor.

"When walking on the street with a friend and we meet another friend of mine who stops just a minute or two, is it correct for me to introduce the two strangers?" inquired Joe.

"It is seldom necessary to introduce one's friends if only a short pause is made. If, however, the conversation seems likely to be prolonged then introductions should be made," replied his father.

Mrs. Harriet M. Martin, of New Castle, N. H., who is now 99 years of age, enjoys the distinction of being the oldest office girl in the country. She takes care of the office of a doctor who has offices in her home.

SUMMER TROLLEY SCHEDULE

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Corn Starch 7c
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FIRST COME—FIRST SERVED

PORTLAND WON GAME

Lowell Batters Not There With the Punch With Three on in Ninth—Score 5 to 3

Opportunity knocked at the door of the Lowell baseball team in the game with Portland at Spalding park yesterday afternoon, but Lowell declined to accept it. The "knock" came in the fifth inning when with only one man out and the score 5 to 3 against the home team, the bases were filled as a result of two hits and an error. A single was needed to tie the score while a double or two singles would have won the game.

With this situation prevailing Hugo Duffy of the Portland bunch yanked Mayberry, who appeared to be nervous after working well all afternoon, and sent Martin, the man who has not been defeated since the middle of last season, to the mound. Martin performed his duty to Duffy's liking, retiring the side with the same three Lowell players holding down the respective sacks. Kane, the first man to face Martin, missed a couple and then foul-flied to Dowell. Manager Lord came to the bat and the stands rocked with cheers. Harry tried hard but the best he could do was rap an infield grounder which Sweatt gobbled and threw to first. Then the game was over and the fans left the park enveloped in gloom at the home team's failure to make the finish.

Horsey, who started for Lowell, was wild and when he located the plate was hit freely by the Portland club. Four runs were made off him in one and a third inning. Then King, the southpaw who came to Lowell in the Manchester deal, replaced Horsey and pitched fine baseball. King was to have started the game and had he done so the story would have been different. But four hits were made off King in the rest of the game and after the third inning Portland did not even threaten to score.

Mayberry, who twirled for the visitors, started off well but grew weak-

ens singled and Mayberry scored. Sweatt knocked a grounder through Downey's legs and Clemens went to third. At this point Horsey was benched and King took his place on the mound. Brown filed to Munn and Burns hit to Lord and the latter threw the runner out at first.

Three runs, two hits, one error. Barrows sent a high fly to centre which Burns gathered in. Mayberry stopped Stimpson's grounder and retired him at first. Downey sent a grounder to Sweatt and failed to reach the initial base.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 5, Portland 3.

Portland scored another run in the third when Dowell and Loneragan made a double steal, the former scoring. Lowell failed to score. King had the honor of making the first hit of the game for the home team in this inning.

Dowell drew a base on balls and shortly afterwards stole second. Loneragan hunted along the third base line and beat the ball to first. Gaston filed to Kane in short centre field. Dowell and Loneragan then executed a double steal, Dowell scoring. When Loneragan started for second Greenhalge threw the ball to Torphy who returned the ball in an endeavor to nail Dowell at the plate but the throw was high and the run was scored.

Mayberry struck out.

One run, one hit, no errors.

Munn sent a grounder to Dowell and was out at first and Sweatt got Torphy's grounder and threw the runner out at first. King hit the first ball pitched to left field for a single, this being the first hit made by Lowell, but he was forced a double by Tamm. When Kane sent a grounder to Tamm, no runs, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 5, Portland 5.

Lowell broke the tie in the fourth when Greenhalge made a single and a runner scored on Downey's single to centre. The visitors failed to score.

Kane made a nice catch of Clemens fly to right centre. Sweatt sent one too hot for Lord to handle and the runner was safe at first. Brown struck out. Sweatt tried to steal second and was caught. Greenhalge shooting the ball to Torphy who tagged this runner.

No runs, one hit, no errors.

Lord sent a grounder to Sweatt and failed to reach first ahead of the ball. Mayberry sent a ball over the plate which was to Greenhalge's liking and the latter slammed the sphere to the field which was caught by two-bagger Barrows. A free pass. Stimpson hit to Loneragan and Barrows was forced at second. Downey scored Greenhalge with a pretty single to centre, but Munn was retired on strikes.

One run, two hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 1, Portland 5.

Neither side scored in the fifth inning.

Burns walked to first after four balls had been called. Dowell sent a fly to right and Kane crossed over into Barrows' territory and nabbed the ball. Greenhalge made a pretty catch of Tamm's foul fly in front of the grandstand. Loneragan was third out on strikes.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

Torphy started off by flying to Sweatt. King sent a foul fly along the third base line which Gaston caught. Kane reached first on Dowell's fumble of Mayberry's throw. Kane was forced out at second on Lord's grounder to Sweatt.

No runs, no hits, one error.

Score: Lowell 1, Portland 5.

Gaston grounded to Torphy and never had a look at first. Mayberry fanned the breezes for the second time. Clemens knocked a foul fly which Greenhalge took care of.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

Greenhalge singled to left field and Barrows followed with a single over second base. Sweatt stopped Stimpson's hot grounder and threw him out at first. Greenhalge and Barrows advancing a base on the put-out. Dowell scored on Downey's infield out, Dowell making the put-out unassisted.

One run, two hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Portland 5.

Torphy stopped Sweatt's grounder and retired the runner at first. Brown sent a grounder to Munn and was second out at first. Barrows gathered in Burns' fly in short right field.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

Torphy hit a line drive which struck Mayberry and dropped in the pitcher's box. Mayberry recovered the leather and threw it to first and the runner was out. King struck out and Kane was third out on a foul fly to Tamm.

No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Portland 5.

Dowell reached first on an infield hit to Munn. Tamm grounded to Munn who threw badly to Torphy at second and both runners were safe. Loneragan advanced both men with a sacrifice in front of the plate. Dowell was caught on the plate when he attempted to score on Gaston's grounder to Torphy. Greenhalge making the put-out. Mayberry closed the session by sending a grounder to Munn.

No runs, one hit, one error.

Lord singled to centre field. Greenhalge sent the ball over the left field fence, but it was foul. He then filed out to Brown. Lord then stole second. Barrows went out at first on a grounder to Sweatt. Stimpson scored Lord with a pretty single to right field. Stimpson tried to steal second and was thrown out.

One run, two hits, no errors.

Score: Portland 5, Lowell 3.

Clemens struck out. Sweatt walked. Sweatt was forced out at second when Brown sent a grounder to Torphy. Burns beat out an infield hit, sending Brown to second.

Torphy got Dowell's grounder and

threw to Downey, getting Burns. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Downey went out, Sweatt to Dowell. Munn singled over second base. Loneragan fumbled Torphy's grounder and the runner was safe.

King singled to left field, filling the bases.

Martin was then sent in to replace Mayberry.

Kane foul-flied to Dowell.

Lord went out, Sweatt to Dowell.

No runs, two hits, no errors.

PORTLAND

	ab	h	bb	po	a	e
Clemens, rf	5	1	0	2	0	0
Sweatt, 2b	5	1	0	2	4	8
Brown, lf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Barrows, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Dowell, 1b	4	1	1	1	0	1
Tamm, 3b	4	1	0	1	1	0
Loneragan, ss	2	1	1	1	1	1
Gaston, c	4	0	1	1	1	0
Mayberry, p	4	1	0	1	0	5
Martin, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	5	3	17	16	2

LOWELL

	ab	h	bb	po	a	e
Kane, cf	5	0	0	3	0	1
Lord, 2b	5	1	1	1	1	1
Greenhalge, c	2	2	0	1	0	0
Barrows, rf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Stimpson, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Dowell, 1b	4	0	1	3	1	1
Munn, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Torphy, ss	4	0	0	1	0	0
Horsey, p	0	0	0	0	0	1
King, p	4	0	2	0	1	0
Totals	37	3	7	12	3	2

KEATING HAS HARD LUCK

FORMER LAWRENCE TWIRLER CANNOT WIN FOR YANKEES—HAS GONE BAD IN FOUR STARTS

NEW YORK, May 26.—There is a growing suspicion around the polo grounds that Ray Keating has inherited the famous jinx that camped on the trail of Leon Ames during the years he was with the Giants. Maybe he has been hiding in a crevice somewhere to get a new hold. But at any rate the unlucky Lemuel, who was considered one of the best curve ball pitchers in the country, could not win for McGraw, and Keating, despite any device he tries, cannot win for the Yankees.

Manager Bill Donovan has given Keating four starts this season and it is a part of the sordid records that the Bridgeport man has not yet turned in a victory. He has made some of them close, but all have been defeats. This week he drew the start against the St. Louis Browns, who have been taking it on the chin from all comers, and they drove him to cover in three rounds, piling up a lead that the Yankees could not overcome in two hours and a half of play.

Personally we do not believe in the hoodoo theory, but most ball players, especially those who are not winning, do believe in it. Ames got so desperate that he used to wear red neckties and pick up pins on the street in an effort to change his luck. Not long ago Keating had a portly colored gentleman sit just behind the bench, but the hits and the breaks came just the same and the device was a fiasco.

DRIVING CLUB RACES

The Lowell Driving club has submitted the following entries for the matinee races to be held at Golden Cove track on Memorial day:

Free-for-all pace: Green Pilot, 2:55 1/4; Belle Onward.

Free-for-all trot: June Belle (Dr. Pillsbury), Jackson (H. Green), Avon (E. Daigle), Bessie (H. Provencer), Benton (M. Campbell), Bertha (M. Murphy), M. E. Hazelwood (O'Brien), Class B trot: Chester Todd (Lynch).

Zemah (L. Clark), Rovio (Belleville), McVey (E. Clark), Nigger Jack (J. Tessier).

Class A pace: Grace Conroy (E. Daigle), Dolly C. (Maguire), Tim Ongale (Dowell), Joe Harris (Cotton), Bevridge (Hudson), King Mac (Gendron), Class B pace: Braden Wilkes (Dana), Fannie M. (Parker), The Arrow (Howard), Silver B. (Belleville), Robert H. (Sullivan), Rex (Merle), Three-year-old trot: Peter L. (Provencer), Duke of Chatham (Lovering).

Green trot or pace: Budweiser (Maguire), Queen E. (Lovejoy), Harry Baden (Hudson).

GAMES TOMORROW

Eastern League

Lynn at Lowell.

Lawrence at Portland.

Worcester at Hartford.

Bridgeport at New Haven.

Springfield at New London.

American League

Boston at New York.

Philadelphia at Washington.

St. Louis at Detroit.

Cleveland at Chicago.

National League

New York at Boston.

Chicago at Cincinnati.

Brooklyn at Philadelphia.

Pittsburg at St. Louis.

LEAGUE STANDING

Eastern League

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New London	15	3	.833
Springfield	12	8	.600
Lynn	11	8	.579
Portland	11	8	.579
Lawrence	11	8	.579
Lowell	11	8	.579
Worcester	9	10	.474
New Haven	9	13	.350
Hartford	5	13	.278
Bridgeport	5	15	.250

American League

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Cleveland	22	12	.647
Washington	21	12	.636
New York	16	13	.552
Boston	15	13	.531
Chicago	14	14	.500
Philadelphia	13	18	.419
Detroit	13	20	.391
St. Louis	12	19	.387

National League

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Brooklyn	17	10	.630
Philadelphia	17	12	.583
Boston	15	13	.536
New York	15	13	.536
Chicago	16	19	.459
St. Louis	14	19	.421
Pittsburg	13	20	.391

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Eastern League

Portland 5, Lowell 3.

New London 7, Hartford 2.

Lynn 6, Lawrence 5 (11 innings).

Springfield 15, Bridgeport 5.

Worcester 9, New Haven 1.

American League

Boston 5, Detroit 2.

Chicago 3, Washington 3 (14 innings, called, darkness).

New York 7, St. Louis 5.

Cleveland-Philadelphia—rain.

National League

Cincinnati 8, Chicago 4.

Pittsburg 5, Brooklyn 0.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The President's Pets would like to play the Kaiser's Pets. Answer to Manager Sherman O'Brien, 21 Beaver street.

The Crystals would like a game with the Christian III Stars or any 12-year-old team in the city. The game is to be played on the North common for two quarter balls. Answer to Edward Purcell, 114 Rock street. Tel. 1014-J.

The manager of the Glenmores would like to meet the manager of the Billerica A.C. at the North Billerica post-office at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

The St. Michael's Choir Boys would like a game for May 30.

The Glenmores would like a game for Saturday with any 19-20-year-old team in the city. See Manager Higgins, Calvin's poolroom, Davis square.

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in the city at Lincoln park for a quarter ball. Answer through this paper.

The Railroad Stars are without a game for Saturday and are willing to play any 10 or 11-year-old team in the city. Send challenges through this paper.

The Columbia Seconds defeated the Humphrey A.C. by the score of 12 to 8.

EASTERN LEAGUE COMMENT

And while the other teams are dividing honors, New London still wins.

The redeeming feature of yesterday's game was the fine showing of King, who has been under cover all season.

"Red" Torphy's arm is in fine shape. He whips the ball across the diamond like a major leaguer.

Kane couldn't pick up the ball in the first inning and "Pete" Clemens dashed from first to home.

As a fan in the grandstand remarked, "Horsey had nothing but a glove."

Martin is doing splendid work for Duffy. Besides winning the five games that he has pitched this year the last 10 or 12 games he worked in a year ago resulted in victories for his team.

Sweatt, Portland's second baseman, who was in the New England league, is faster than ever and his fielding is far above the ordinary.

Walter Loneragan had a chance to retire the side with a double play in the ninth but he slipped up on a grounder.

Louis Pieper makes his initial bow to Lowell fans tomorrow. Pieper has a fast ball club and is fighting hard to keep near the top of the league.

Jack Flynn, manager of the Springfield club, is doing a fine job in the fielding line for his team. In the first 18 games played, he made 175 putouts and 14 assists without an error.

The batting averages of the leading hitters in the Eastern league will doubtless begin to drop with the warm weather, as the pitchers are working better.

"Jake" Boules, the ex-Lowell player, has been released by Bridgeport. The Bridgeport Post says: "The departure of Boules will be sincerely regretted by all the lovers of the game here, but he did not figure in Manager Neal Ball's program and had to go. Jake's fielding was all that could be desired, although he played a strange position in filling the short-stop assignment. Jake came here to play third base, but was not used at the dizzy corner at all. It is probable that Springfield, New Haven, Lynn or Lawrence will seize him, the former two clubs considering him before he signed with Bridgeport. Jake has left Bridgeport and the fans will mourn, but here's hoping that he doesn't pass out of the league altogether."

Pitcher Gearin, the little southpaw, who worked in two games here and showed more "stuff" than any other Bridgeport twirler was also "canned" along with Boules.


Lawrence magnates want to have Tuesday's game transferred. Lawrence is scheduled to play here Tuesday morning and Lowell goes to Lawrence for the afternoon game. As

Y.W.C.A. HELD BANQUET

Notable Event of Kilson Hall—Classes Hear Interesting Addresses and Sing Gym Songs

The Y.W.C.A. held its annual banquet last evening in the Kilson hall of the association building, attended by 80 members of the beginners, high school and advanced classes. The banquet was served at 7:30 o'clock by Mrs. Whalen of the association dining room. The hall was beautifully decorated with palms and marguerites, yellow being the gymnasium color.

Miss Eva Powers Washburn, physical instructor, was chairman of the evening and she introduced the various speakers. Mrs. A. E. Joy read a complete and amusing history of the beginners' class and a prophecy of the class was read by Miss Melba McDonald. Miss Ruth Choate spoke on "What Might Have Been" and Miss Lillian Butler gave a delightful "Peep into the Future." The evening closed with all joining in gymnasium and pageant songs.



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ELEVEN ARE ENTERED

IN BUNTING MARATHON FROM LAWRENCE TO LOWELL NEXT TUESDAY—OTHER EVENTS

Over 150 athletes from colleges, schools and clubs all over New England are entered in the various events to take place at Bunting park next Tuesday, Memorial day.

The chief number on the day's program is the Marathon from Lawrence to Lowell in which Roth, Kyronen, Hennigan and other well known runners are entered. Four Lowell boys, Charles H. Peverill, Leroy A. Davis, Joe Christo and William Armstrong will attempt to beat the more experienced men in the 12-mile event.

Harvard, Dartmouth, Holy Cross and other colleges and athletic associations are represented in the seven track events to be carried out at Bunting park.

The list of entries follows: Marathon race: Charles H. Peverill, Lowell; James P. Hennigan, Dorchester club; Frank Avery Fidler, Clinton; Arvi Poskonen, Maynard; Arthur V. Roth, Dorchester club; Leroy A. Davis, Bunting club, Lowell; Joseph Christy, Holy Cross college; William Armstrong, Villard Kyronen, Melrose A. A. New York; John O'Neill, Forge Village, Wm. Armstrong, Bunting club; Andrew B. Kelley, Holy Cross college; Daniel I. Champagne, C.M.A.C. Lowell; Geo. Nicholson, Methuen; George F. Haggerty, Lawrence; I. E. Connor, Lawrence; Frank W. Kelly, Maynard; Joseph Sullivan, Lawrence; John E. O'Neill, Lawrence high school; Thomas Phillips, Lawrence; William Maier, Lawrence; Rodrick L. Bent, Boston M.I.T.; T. R. Pennypacker, Harvard A.A.; Fred Butterworth, Lawrence; H. I. Coolidge, Harvard A.A.; W. H. Leavitt, Readville; E. A. Teschner, Harvard A.A.; M. Harlow, Boston A. A.; W. M. Meanix, same; W. M. Sheddon, same; Kevin Dwyer, Nashua; T. J. Halpin, B.A.A.; J. F. Hurley, same.

120 yard hurdles: George F. Haggerty, Lowell; William T. McCormack, Boston college; John E. O'Neill, Lawrence high school; Thomas Phillips, Lawrence; William Maier, Lawrence; Rodrick L. Bent, Boston M.I.T.; T. R. Pennypacker, Harvard A.A.; Fred Butterworth, Lawrence; H. I. Coolidge, Harvard A.A.; W. H. Leavitt, Readville; E. A. Teschner, Harvard A.A.; M. Harlow, Boston A. A.; W. M. Meanix, same; W. M. Sheddon, same; Kevin Dwyer, Nashua; T. J. Halpin, B.A.A.; J. F. Hurley, same.

100 yards dash: Andrew B. Kelley, Holy Cross college; Daniel I. Champagne, C.M.A.C. Lowell; George F. Haggerty, Lowell; I. E. Connor, Lawrence; W. L. McCormack, Boston college; Frank W. Kelly, Maynard; Joseph Sullivan, Lawrence; John E. O'Neill, Lawrence high school; Thomas Phillips, Lawrence; William Maier, Lawrence; Rodrick L. Bent, Boston M.I.T.; T. R. Pennypacker, Harvard A.A.; Fred Butterworth, Lawrence; H. I. Coolidge, Harvard A.A.; W. H. Leavitt, Readville; E. A. Teschner, Harvard A.A.; M. Harlow, Boston A. A.; W. M. Meanix, same; W. M. Sheddon, same; Kevin Dwyer, Nashua; T. J. Halpin, B.A.A.; J. F. Hurley, same.

440 yards run: Andrew B. Kelley, Holy Cross college; Dan J. Champagne, C.M.A.C. Lowell; George F. Haggerty, Lowell; I. E. Connor, Lawrence; W. L. McCormack, Boston college; Frank W. Kelly, Maynard; Joseph Sullivan, Lawrence; John E. O'Neill, Lawrence high school; Thomas Phillips, Lawrence; William Maier, Lawrence; Rodrick L. Bent, Boston M.I.T.; T. R. Pennypacker, Harvard A.A.; Fred Butterworth, Lawrence; H. I. Coolidge, Harvard A.A.; W. H. Leavitt, Readville; E. A. Teschner, Harvard A.A.; M. Harlow, Boston A. A.; W. M. Meanix, same; W. M. Sheddon, same; Kevin Dwyer, Nashua; T. J. Halpin, B.A.A.; J. F. Hurley, same.

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880 yards run—Andrew B. Kelley, Holy Cross college; I. E. Connor, Lawrence; Frank W. Kelly, Maynard; William Maier, Lawrence; R. H. Burroughs, Cambridge; John A. Meehan, Lowell; Raymond B. Messer, Lowell; Richard Taylor, Somerville; H. R. Bechtel, Cambridge; W. J. A. Lyons, Billerica; George Ludabo, Maynard; John A. Barnaby, Grace church, Methuen; W. Ryan, B.A.A.; Kevin Dwyer, Nashua; T. J. Halpin and J. F. Hurley, B.A.A.; James Henley, C.Y.M.L. Lowell; Joseph T. Higgins, Holy Cross college.

One mile run—George H. Goddard, Lowell; C.M.A.C.; R. H. Burroughs, Cambridge; Raymond B. Messer, Lowell; Richard Taylor, Somerville; H. R. Bechtel, Cambridge; George Ludabo, Maynard; John W. Barnaby, Grace church, Methuen; Frank W. Chamberlain, Jr., Dartmouth college; John J. Losero, Boston; L.A.A.; Maxwell G. Sherburn, Dartmouth college; T. H. Deverneux, Dover, N. H.; Alex. Levno, Maynard; I. W. Ryan, B.A.A.; Kevin Dwyer, Nashua; Patrick J. Callinan, Dorchester club; John J. O'Connor, Lowell; W. F. O'Brien, Colby college.

Three mile run—James P. Hennigan, Dorchester club; H. R. Bechtel, Cambridge; John A. Barnaby, Grace church, Methuen; Maxwell G. Sherburn, Dartmouth college; T. H. Deverneux, Dover, N. H.; Alex. Levno, Maynard; Norman R. Sherburn, Tyngsboro; William I. Morris, Natick; Arvi Pokonen, Maynard; William Pankl, Maynard; I. F. O'Neill, B.A.A.; Kevin Dwyer, Nashua; Patrick J. Callinan, Dorchester club; William Crowe, Lowell; Tony Dronin, Lowell; William F. O'Brien, Colby college.

DIAMOND GOSSIP

Boston fans are planning a Harry Hooper day. The day would undoubtedly be a success as the clever right fielder is very popular and his home run drives which settled the last world's series have not yet been forgotten.

It is now up to the Braves to stop the Giants. In the past few seasons Staling's boys have found the McGraws easy.

Wolfgang worked the last five innings in the Chicago-Washington game, losing the game and held the sentry to one hit. He worked against Walter Johnson.

"Jimmy" Callahan is the 10th manager of the Pittsburgh club since its admission to the National league in 1887. Callahan's predecessors were in order of their appointment: Horace Phillips, "Ned" Hanlon, "Gus" Hecker, William H. McGunnigle, A. C. Buckenberger, "Connie" Mack, P. J. Donovan, W. H. Watkins and "Fred" Clark.

So far this season there has been no consistent batting by the Browns. They have been hitting in fits and starts, and consequently they have been beaten regularly. They filled the bases four times with one out in the last week, but never got more than one run. That tells the story. On the first Eastern trip the Browns are carrying all the men available. "Brins" Knab, who is in the hospital; George Baumgartner, a pitcher, and Chapman a catcher, probably will be left home. None of these players is in shape to give Jones any help.

TV Cobb, thinks that the efficiency of the Boston club has been decreased about 40 per cent, by the loss of Speaker.

The Cleveland club has been playing with a squad of twenty men, five less than are allowed under the American league rules.

Manager Charlie Towle of the Winthrop Trolley league club was in Portland yesterday afternoon looking for players for his Winthrop club this summer. Mr. Towle says the trolley league will be faster than ever this year and that it's going to be some league. Charlie has already signed "Squatto" Wilson, the old New England leading pitcher who lives at Winthrop. Fuller the former Bates infielder, Rollo Fangan the Coburn twirler and others. He would like very much to get his former third sacker, Guy Maxwell, but as Maxwell is now a regular member of the Portland club will have to do without him.

A real rarity of baseball was uncovered in a recent game between the Montgomery and Columbia clubs of the South Atlantic league. In the second inning McNally, of Columbia, came home with the bases full and in the same inning Ward of Montgomery duplicated McNally's feat.

The failure of the White Sox to shine more this season is attributed by some to the shoulders back, and the abdominal muscles tense. Energy and life must be thrown into the exercise, and elasticity into the step, in order for it to be beneficial.

Deep abdominal breathing must also be practiced. Of course, care must be taken not to overdo at first. A short, energetic walk of 15 minutes is of greater value, mentally and physically, than a listless, spiritless walk of five hours.

Air is both food and drink to the lungs. It is more like water to the body—it washes them clear. It is best when pure and bracing. On a "persistent" walker has in getting used to all kinds of weather. Exposure to cold winds and damp will do him no harm, although it might be fatal to others.

Nurse says an invalid's appetite needs to be calmed to and a dainty tray with a bit of novelty in the way of food is pleasing. Here are a few dishes she prepares:

Oyster Broth—Prepare 12 oysters, chop very fine, put into a saucepan with one cup of cold water. Heat to boiling point, then cook more slowly five minutes. Strain out the oysters, season the broth with salt and pepper and serve at once.

Orange Omelet—One yolk of egg, one teaspoon of powdered sugar, and tablespoon orange juice, the white of one egg. Beat the yolk and add the sugar and the orange juice, fold in the stiffly beaten white and cook as directed for omelets. Fold, turn on a warm dish and sprinkle with powdered sugar. Serve immediately.

Chicken Custard—Half a cup of

chicken broth, ½ cup cream, one egg yolk, salt to taste. Heat the broth to boiling point, add the cream to beaten yolk, add the broth and cook in a double boiler, stirring constantly until the mixture thickens. Strain and serve cold.

At the close of the business meeting an excellent dinner was served and this was followed by post-prandial exercises which were also presided over by Rep. Achin. The speaker of the afternoon was Gov. McCall, who congratulated the organization for the progress it is making and he also urged its members to keep up the good work now in operation. Among the Lowell men present at the dinner were Rep. Achin, L. F. Tucotte, Maxime Lepine, Joseph Provost, Ovilla Morin, Arthur II. Eno, Esq., Caliste Lemire, Jr., Ovilla Tremblay, Edmond Cheney, Timothee Roy, Omer Deziel, Omer J. Smith, William A. Dragon and others.

EVELYN THAW WEDS AGAIN

NEW YORK, May 26.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, who was divorced by Harry N. Thaw last month, and Jack Clifford, her dancing partner, returned here after a hasty trip to Baltimore and announced that they had been married in Maryland.

Mrs. William S. Holmes, daughter of the late William M. Evans, of New York, has been appointed official dog catcher in Freehold, N. J.

to the failure of Eddie Collins to hit up to his normal form. It is thought that Collins has worried too much about the captaincy. In one stretch of thirty-six innings Eddie got only one hit.

Walter Johnson is the first major league pitcher to account for seven victories this season. Walter's value may be estimated when it is known that he started eight of Washington's first twenty-four games and won seven of the Senator's first sixteen victories.

A new candidate for the base running honors has come to the front in St. Louis. Bruno Betzel is his name and he has stolen ten bases this season. Max Carey is the only major leaguer who has stolen more bases, and Max has long been recognized as a speedy base runner.

BURKETT AFTER NEW MEN

OLD FOX THINKS SOME OF LAWRENCE PLAYERS NEED TO BE REPLACED TO WIN PENNANT

LAWRENCE, May 26.—Manager Jess C. Burkett of the locals just missed by a hair getting two promising youngsters from Connie Mack of the Athletics. They were Thompson, outfielder, and Healey, third baseman. Both played with the Athletics long enough this season to get into the record book. Thompson hit over .300. Healey was below .250. Thompson was sent to Omaha in the Western league, while Healey has joined Newark in the International league. Manager Burkett may yet land a player from Mack.

Manager Burkett is "standing pat" no longer as he is satisfied some members of the locals need to be replaced. He said yesterday that he was not going after any experiments, but players of known quality and he said that it may take some days to get the ones he wants. He is active in the hunt, however, and promises his best efforts to keep Lawrence in the thick of the fight in the Eastern league race. He is equally determined that every player wearing a Lawrence uniform shall also render his best service to the club.

Robinson, who is playing left field for Lawrence, was here one spring a number of years ago. He was a candidate for third base and was recommended to the locals by Fred Tenney, coming from Tenney's native town, Georgetown.

MANHATTAN SILK HOSE 4 PAIRS FOR \$1

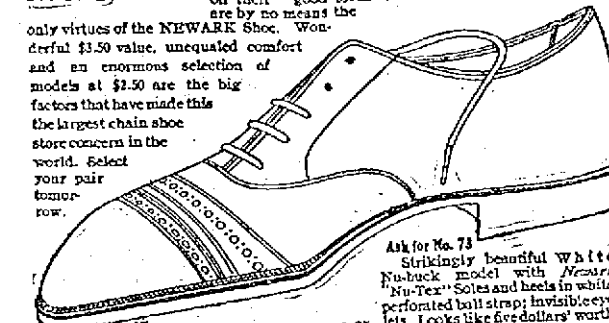
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of the Boston club has been decreased about 40 per cent, by the loss of Speaker.

The Cleveland club has been playing with a squad of twenty men, five less than are allowed under the American league rules.

Manager Charlie Towle of the Winthrop Trolley league club was in Portland yesterday afternoon looking for players for his Winthrop club this summer. Mr. Towle says the trolley league will be faster than ever this year and that it's going to be some league. Charlie has already signed "Squatto" Wilson, the old New England leading pitcher who lives at Winthrop. Fuller the former Bates infielder, Rollo Fangan the Coburn twirler and others. He would like very much to get his former third sacker, Guy Maxwell, but as Maxwell is now a regular member of the Portland club will have to do without him.

A real rarity of baseball was uncovered in a recent game between the Montgomery and Columbia clubs of the South Atlantic league. In the second inning McNally, of Columbia, came home with the bases full and in the same inning Ward of Montgomery duplicated McNally's feat.

The failure of the White Sox to shine more this season is attributed by some to the shoulders back, and the abdominal muscles tense. Energy and life must be thrown into the exercise, and elasticity into the step, in order for it to be beneficial.

Deep abdominal breathing must also be practiced. Of course, care must be taken not to overdo at first. A short, energetic walk of 15 minutes is of greater value, mentally and physically, than a listless, spiritless walk of five hours.

Air is both food and drink to the lungs. It is more like water to the body—it washes them clear. It is best when pure and bracing. On a "persistent" walker has in getting used to all kinds of weather. Exposure to cold winds and damp will do him no harm, although it might be fatal to others.

Nurse says an invalid's appetite needs to be calmed to and a dainty tray with a bit of novelty in the way of food is pleasing. Here are a few dishes she prepares:

Oyster Broth—Prepare 12 oysters, chop very fine, put into a saucepan with one cup of cold water. Heat to boiling point, then cook more slowly five minutes. Strain out the oysters, season the broth with salt and pepper and serve at once.

BOLD DASH FROM COURT

Prisoner Made Sensational Escape From Police Court—Recaptured This Afternoon

One of the most sensational incidents that ever took place in the local court room occurred this morning shortly after 11 o'clock when Ernest Turner, who was arrested for larceny and who was to be returned to the Massachusetts reformatory at Concord dashed through the court room and down the rear stairway, making his escape. Several officers and spectators in the court room gave chase, but Turner made such fast time through Market street and into Prescott street that he outdistanced his pursuers with comparative ease.

Turner was arrested during the early part of the week on a warrant charging him with the larceny of three razors, a cigar and cigarette case, a cigar holder and a bag, all of the value of about \$25, the property of John S. Peters of Hampshire street. Turner had been in the habit of visiting the Peters house and on May 8, it is alleged, he stole the articles. He then disappeared

but during the early part of the week he returned to this city and was arrested.

This morning when the case was called, Deputy Downey informed the court that there was a warrant for Turner's return to the reformatory and the local case was placed on file. This was the last case on the docket and Court Officer Philip Dwyer opened the prisoner's cage and started downstairs with Turner. They had gone down but three or four steps when Turner said: "I would like to speak to my mother." He started back and Officer Dwyer followed him. When Turner opened the door leading into the court room, he passed through and then slamming the door raced across the court room to the door leading from the rear entrance, down the stairs and into the street. Just about the time the people in the court room realized that Turner was making his escape Turner's mother, who occupied a seat on the opposite side of the room, shrieked loudly, and everyone's attention was attracted to her for the instant and in the meantime Turner made his getaway.

After reaching the street he ran through Market street, into Prescott street and entered a poolroom, he climbed through a window and disappeared. The police throughout the city were immediately notified of the escape and ordered to search for the man and arrest him on sight.

It is stated that this is the first time that a prisoner has escaped from the local court room.

Re-arrested
Early this afternoon Turner was arrested in the basement of Scott's poolroom on Central street by Lt. Maher, Inspector Walsh and Sergt. Petrie.

THREE KILLED UNDER CAR
BANGOR, Me., May 26.—By a fatal mistake on the part of some member of a shifting crew in the Maine Central freight yards here yesterday afternoon, three car repairers were killed and one injured, while seven others had a remarkable escape from death.

The dead are James E. Nelligan, aged 21, Bangor; John T. Kelley, aged 40, and Walter G. Richardson, 35, both of Bangor. Neil Mahoney of Bangor was slightly injured.

HELD BIRTHDAY PARTY
A very pleasant birthday party was held last evening at the home of Miss Claire Walker in Fletcher street, the occasion being Miss Claire's seventh birthday anniversary. There was a large number of young friends present. A musical entertainment was furnished including violin and vocal selections by Miss May Breen.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HEAVY FIGHTING AT VERDUN CONTINUES

Few Changes in Position, Says Paris—French Regain Some of Lost Ground—Activity in Saloniki—The Germans Claim 600 French Captured

Violent fighting continues on the Verdun front, but according to the afternoon bulletin of the French war office it has resulted in few changes of position.

The French have regained some of the ground lost to the Germans yesterday between Haumont wood and Thiaumont farm, to the east of the Meuse says the official statement while to the west of that stream a German attack on the Dead Man hill position

was stopped by the French barrier of fire.

New efforts by the German crown prince to advance against the French left flank, between Dead Man hill and the Avocourt wood, probably are preparation for the artillery bombardment in this sector is reported as particularly intense.

The Austrian drive into Italian territory apparently is not proceeding with anything like its initial velocity.

The opinion is expressed in Rome that a continuance would show a reversal of the conditions that heretofore have favored the Austrians, owing to the superior communicating lines in the Italian rear.

Activity in Saloniki

Indications that some military move of importance is impending in the Balkans are contained in dispatches from

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TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	28	27	27 1/2
Am Beet Sugar	74 1/4	73 3/4	74
Am Can	57	56 1/2	56 1/2
Am Can pf	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Am Car & Fm	61 1/2	61	61 1/2
Am Hides L Com	5 3/4	5 1/4	5 3/4
Am Locom	7 1/2	7 1/4	7 1/2
Am Loco pf	102	102	102
Am Smelt & R	100 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Am Sugar Rfr	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am Talc	35 1/2	35	35 1/2
Am Talc pf	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Atchafson	101	101	101
Baldwin Loco	90 1/2	88	89
Balt & Ohio	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Br Ray Tran	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Cal Pac	23	22 1/2	22 1/2
Canadian Pa	179 1/2	179	179 1/2
Cent Leather	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Ches & Ohio	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Chic R & Pac	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Col Fuel	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Consol Gas	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2
Corn Products	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Cruickshank	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Den & Rio G pf	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Dis Secur Co	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Erie	29 1/2	29	29 1/2
Erie 1st pf	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Gen Rfr	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Goodrich	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Gl North pf	121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2
Gl N Ore pf	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Illinois Cen	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Int Met Com pf	76	76	76
Int Mer Marine	25 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Int Mer Marine pf	93 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Int Paper	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Int Paper pf	49	48 1/2	48 1/2
Kan City So	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Kan & Texas	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Lehigh Valley	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Maxwell	87 1/2	85 1/2	86
Maxwell 1st	90 1/2	90	90
Maxwell 2nd	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
Maxwell Petroleum	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Missouri Pa	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Nat Lead	67 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
N Y Air Brake	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
N Y Central	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Nor & West	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
North Pacific	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
Ont & West	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Pennsylvania	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Pressed Steel	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Ry St Sp Co	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Reading	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Rep Iron	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Rep I & S pf	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
St Paul	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
So Pacific	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Southern Ry	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Studebaker	141 1/2	139 1/2	139 1/2
Tenn Copper	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Texas Pan	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Third Ave	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Union Pacific	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
U S Ind Alcohol	162 1/2	158 1/2	159 1/2
U S Ind Alcohol pf	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
U S Steel	84 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
U S Steel pf	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
U S Steel 1st	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Utah Copper	31 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Wabash	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Western Un	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2

IRREGULAR TENDENCIES

LOWER PRICES AT OPENING—SPECIAL STOCKS ADVANCED IN AFTERNOON

NEW YORK, May 26.—Further irregular tendencies were manifested at the opening of today's market, international issues and shipping shares, as well as some specialties, recording lower prices. These were partly counterbalanced by gains of a point or more for Reading, American Smelting, Chandler Motors and some of the inactive stocks. Studebaker opened with a slight gain, but promptly reacted almost 2 points. Baldwin was lower on disappointment in connection with the desired dividend. Trading was light and circumscribed.

Trading quickened later, dealings shifting to the rubber group with a gain of almost 2 points for U. S. Rubber. Industrial Alcohol also resumed its activity, rising over 2 points with as much for Continental Can and a further gain for American Coal Products. Reading added another point to its opening advance, but other rails were dull and mostly heavy, while U. S. Steel continued in its narrow groove. Operations dwindled again at mid-day with greater price irregularity. Bonds were steady.

Special stocks, including some of the very obscure issues, were advanced in the early afternoon, but the list declined again on another setback in Reading, after which the market became almost motionless.

Trading became more listless in the final hour, some of the motors and inactive specialties making gains with no material changes elsewhere. The closing was irregular.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, May 26.—Coppers edged in the early local trading today. The down movement also carried Zinc stocks under yesterday's prices. Transactions were in moderate volume.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, May 26.—Mercantile paper 3 1/4. Sterling sixty day bills 4 1/2. Demand 4 1/2; cables 4 1/2. France demand 5 1/2; cables 5 1/2. Marks demand 7 1/2; cables 7 1/2. Kronen demand 11 1/2; cables 11 1/2. Lire demand 6 1/2; cables 6 1/2. Rubles demand 3 1/2; cables 3 1/2. Bar silver 71 1/2. Mexican dollars 55. Government bonds irregular. Railroad bonds steady. Time loans steady; sixty and ninety days 2 1/2 at 3; six months 3 at 3 1/2. Call money steady; high 2 1/2, low 2; ruling rate 2 1/2; last loan 2 1/2; closing bid 2, offered at 2 1/2.

BOSTON MARKET

Stocks

Boston Elevated

Ros & Maine

N Y & N H

MINING

Algonah

Alaska Gold

Alton

American Zinc

Arden

Ariz Com

Butte & Superior

Cal & Ariz

Cal & Flor

Centennial

Chino

Copper Range

Daly West

Deer Creek

Granby

Hamock

Inspiration

Indiana

Isle Royale

Kerr Lake

Lake

Miami

Mohawk

Nevada

New Idria

Old Colony

Old Dominion

Oscoda

Pacific

Ryan

Santa Fe

St. Mary

Shattuck Ariz

Tulame

U. S. Smelting

U. S. Smelting pf

Utah

Utah Cons

Utah Metal

Winona

Wolverine

TELEPHONE

Am Tel & Tel

MISCELLANEOUS

East Boston Land

Mass Gas

Mass Ice pf

North Creek

Swift & Co

United Fruit

United Sh M

United States

Ventura

EXCHANGES

NEW YORK, May 26.—Exchanges,

1475.35.25; balances, \$25,281,086.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, May 26.—Cotton

futures opened steady. July 12 1/2;

October 12 1/2; December 12 1/2; Janu-

ary 12 1/2; March 12 1/2. Spot quiet;

midling 12 1/2.

133 Corner Tucker and Cheever

422—United States Cartridge Co.

(Private.)

135—Lawrence Mfg. Co. (Private.)

TO UNITE IRISH FACTIONS

LONDON, May 26.—David Lloyd-

George already has entered upon the

preliminaries of the task that has

just been allotted to him—the concilia-

tion of the Irish factions. He had con-

versations today with John Redmond, leader

of the Irish nationalists, and Sir Ed-

ward Carson, the Ulster leader, and has

planned a course of action which will

involve visits to various parts of Ire-

land and interviews with men of the

most diverse opinions.

The fact that parliament will ad-

journe next Thursday for three weeks

is considered fortunate for his task, as

this will make it impossible for any dis-

negation of it to take place while the

negotiations are proceeding.

INQUIRY INTO IRISH REVOLT

PUBLISHED, May 26, via London.—On

Easter Monday the day on which the

Irish rebellion began, the number of

available British troops in Ireland was

only 2235. This information was given

by Maj. Gen. Cowell who testified

today before the royal commission

which is investigating the uprising.

ORPHEUS TRIAL

WATKINSON, Ill., May 26.—Attor-

neys in the trial of Will H. Orpheus

charged with the murder of Marian

Lambert, speeded up the process of

selecting a jury today, and as a result

the second panel was sworn in at the

morning session of the court. Four

names had been accepted by both

sides at noon.

The court granted partly a motion

by the state to prevent demonstrations

of affection towards her son by Orpheus

mother. The state charged that Mrs

Orpheus daily entered the court room

and in view of prospective jurors went

to the table where the defendant was sit-

ting and kissed him. Judge Donnelly

ruled that Mrs. Orpheus might sit by her

son, but must be less demonstrative.

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POLICE WIRE TAPPING

NEW YORK, May 26.—Martin Egan, of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., testifying today at a John Doe inquiry into police wire tapping, said that Detective William J. Burns had reported to him that he had found the name of a former agent of Capt. Boy-Ed in information the detectives uncovered as to the affairs of the firm of Seymour & Seymour. He also testified that Burns had learned from the same source of an alleged shipment of ammunition to Mexico.

Mr. Egan denied that his firm or any persons connected with it had requested that the telephone wire of Seymour & Seymour, a law firm interested in munitions contracts be tapped.

"Was there any foreign government interested in any way so far as you know?" asked the district attorney.

"No," replied the witness, adding that no one else other than his firm was interested in the matter and denying that Mexican affairs had anything to do with the case.

"Burns, however, told me one day that he had information, I think as a result of the tap on the wire as to a shipment of cartridges to Mexico."

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U. S. BECOMING LEADER

Judge Gary Speaks on "Momentous Questions" Before Iron and Steel Institute

NEW YORK, May 25.—Declaring that the United States was rapidly becoming the leader among the nations of the world and that it was "high time for every one to understand that a large majority of the people of the United States will insist upon the utilization of every facility to protect and to honorably further the interests of their own country," Judge Elbert H. Gary spoke here today at the annual meeting of the American Iron and Steel Institute on what he considered "momentous questions."

"There are now confronting the people of this country," he said, "certain momentous questions. They involve life, liberty and happiness. They are under discussion by the most talented writers and speakers and they are in the thoughts and mouths of the multitudes. It is likely opportunity will be given to the voters to give expression to their views in the near future relating to some of these questions. The large majority have a friendly feeling toward business success, large or small, so long as it is decently and fairly conducted."

"We believe thoroughly in the regulation and restraint of business in such a way as to prevent harm and injury to the public interest; but we do not agree that the proper way to prevent harm is to destroy the agencies which may be and generally are utilized for the promotion of good."

"The government and the business men should work in harmony with reference to these matters."

"Our export business is large and increasing. The total exports for March of this year were \$411,176,638 in value, an increase of \$114,864,786 over March, 1915. The total for the nine months ending March 31 was \$2,597,172,472, an increase of \$1,066,094,692 over the total for the same period of the preceding year."

"The markets of the world are multiplying in number and increasing in importance. We are hoping for open ports in every country. We have not heretofore had our proportionate share of this trade. One reason for the limited amount of our export business in the past is found in the lack of ships owned, controlled and operated by Americans. We have been more or less subjected to the domination of foreigners having the ownership or control of ships and who are interested directly or indirectly in business competing with us."

"When the present wars are ended these conditions will be even worse than they have ever been before unless they are adopted laws or amendments that will place our merchant marine practically on an equality with that of other nations."

"We are in favor of peace for our nation; not at any price, but we would if necessary, pay liberally for it. We would fight any other nation but only defensively. However, we do not wish for war and we believe it is not necessary to engage in it with any European nation or nations."

"So anxious are our people to avoid trouble and to maintain a peace footing, they are willing to submit, temporarily, and until the minds of hot heads have had time to become cool and collected, to many acts seemingly unfriendly and even to sneers and insults, before they will assume an offensive attitude and run the risk of precipitating a war unnecessarily. This is a strong statement but it represents the real attitude of a large majority of our people. They sincerely believe we shall get through and come out of the apparent shadows of doubt and distrust, the clouds of gloom that at times have been very black and threatening, without war

INJURED IN FOOD RIOT

IS WOMEN WOUNDED IN FIGHT AT FRANKFORT-ON-MAIN WEDNESDAY NIGHT

LONDON, May 26.—An Amsterdam despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. says that 18 women were wounded in a fight between the police and food rioters at Frankfort-on-the-Main on Wednesday night, according to a despatch received at The Hague.

The riot is said to have started owing to a shortage of meat in the local butcher shops. Three hundred and fifty women who had been told there was no meat for them marched through the streets carrying black flame flags and singing socialist songs.

The women forced their way into one butcher shop although it was guarded by soldiers and policemen. After a search they found some meat which they cut up and continued their march holding the pieces above their heads.

The police attempted to take the meat from the women and a general fight followed in which the officers used their swords. One woman was arrested for shouting "Down with the emperor."

A local paper which referred to the affair was ordered suspended for two months.

powerful influence in aiding and even compelling an international peace."

In closing, Judge Gary said:

"There is not intended to be war—there are no question of politics involved in what has been said, notwithstanding there may be differences of opinion held by persons of different political parties concerning some of the points discussed. It is believed a strong and dominant public sentiment will bring about a regard for honest business success, beneficial to all the people of this country, and necessary laws and administration of laws to promote and protect it; the maintenance of permanent peace, industrial as well as social; and the sufficient preparedness to insure both."

"The steel industry is good; better than ever before. There have recently been publications to the effect that this may be true to a slight extent, but the daily bookings generally are larger in volume than the total producing capacity, and as the unfinished orders on hand are sufficient to keep the mills busy for the remainder of this calendar year and a large portion of 1917 there is not much, if any, cause for concern on the part of manufacturers for the next twelve months at least."

"We could hope that we had been permitted to continue co-operation on a basis that would have influenced greater stability in prices, higher in times of depression and lower in times of great activity, for it would have been satisfactory and beneficial to both producer and consumer and to their employees, but circumstances, over which we had no control, brought about a change in this particular. Public sentiment may bring about a restoration of the former and better methods. Who can tell?"

HIGH SCHOOL REGIMENT

ELIMINATION DRILL HELD ON THE SOUTH COMMON TODAY—GIRLS REHEARSE TOMORROW

With only another day in which to prepare for the annual field day exercises to be held at Spaulding park on Monday afternoon, the members of the boys' regiment of the local high school marched to the South common this afternoon for an elimination or "knockout" drill was held.

The regular school session was held during the morning hours with the exception of the fourth hour which was omitted, and school was dismissed. At 2 o'clock the regiment formed in full dress at the annex in Paige street and marched to the common, headed by the fife and drum corps and Col. Herbert T. Kerrigan.

The company elimination drill took place shortly after the arrival of the regiment at the common, the companies appearing in the following order: C. D. B. A. H. E. F. G. K. M. J. and L. After this drill about 200 members of the individual private drill, which usually comprises about 15 students. Three of the members of the local militia acted as judges.

Girls' Battalion

Tomorrow morning the girls of the four battalions and also the freshmen girls will board special cars for Spaulding park where a special rehearsal for field day will be held under the direction of Miss Ethel K. Cleaves, teacher of calisthenics.

On Monday all the students will be dismissed at an early hour with the exception of the freshmen classes which will gather in the assembly hall where memorial exercises will be held. The boys' regiment will start from the annex at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and march to Spaulding park, while the girls will ride to the park in special cars.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

JOHN M. FARRELL, Real Estate and Personal Property Auctioneer
OFFICE—162 MARKET STREET, LOWELL, MASS.

TOMORROW AFTERNOON AT 2.30 O'CLOCK
AT NOS. 20, 22, 26 AND 28 DINLEY STREET, DRACUT NAVY YARD, DRACUT, MASS.

I will sell at public auction, without limit two 2½-story, two-tenement houses, with about 6000 feet of land each, more or less.

Nos. 20 and 22 is a house of two tenements of seven rooms and two attic rooms each, that is in good repair inside and out. There are four rooms on the first floor, three on the second and two finished attic rooms in each tenement. There is town water and gas in the kitchens. The house is well built, has bay windows, front piazza and each tenement has separate front and back doors.

Nos. 26 and 28 is a house of two tenements, each tenement having four rooms on the first floor, three on the second and a large finished attic room. This house is built on the same plan as the one mentioned above, with the exception that it has an "L."

Any person who would like to live outside of the city, within the five-cent car limit, where the car service is of the best, should attend this sale, as this property is but a step from the car line, in a good open country, where you can let a tenement that will help to pay for your home, good air, good health and all the comforts of the country for yourself and your family.

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JOHN M. FARRELL, Auctioneer.

TOMORROW AFTERNOON AT 3.30 O'CLOCK
AT NO. 298 PAWTUCKET STREET, CORNER OF WANNALANGLIT STREET, LOWELL, MASS.

I will sell at public auction this very desirable residential piece of real estate consisting of a three-story slate roofed house, that is substantially built in one of the best locations in the city and 11,025 square feet of land, more or less.

The house sets on high land, on a corner, has cut granite wall in front with cut granite steps. The house is one of the best built in Lowell, of handsome architecture, with a broad piazza in front and side, bay windows up and down stairs, sets on a granite foundation. There is a broad driveway, all concreted. The grounds are set out with shade trees and shrubs. The first floor has large hall, parlor with marble fire place, sitting room with fire place, all tiled; dining room with butler's pantry, kitchen with range, large pantry, plenty of closet room and back hall.

A handsome black walnut stairway leads from the front hall to the second floor which has six large, high posted chambers that have large closets with ample drawers for linen, etc. There is a lavatory in most of the chambers, and a large bath room with open plumbing. On the third floor there are two chambers and a large storage room.

There is a good cellar under the entire house, cement bottom, has coal bins, vegetable cellar and wine room; also a large wash room with a boiler all bricked in, and a large soap stone wash tray. There is a door leading from this wash room to the yard.

The house is heated by a fine steam plant with radiators in every room, also a good hot air furnace. This house was built of the best of material. It has two built in B. W. front doors. Most of the doors, throughout the house are black walnut. House has stained glass windows, electric and gas light, in fact no expense was spared to make this a first class home and with a few repairs you can have a home second to none in Lowell, on the line of electricity where you have downtown service or a cross town route to the railroad station.

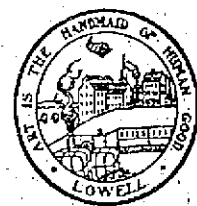
If you feel you want a nice home that will sell for the right price come to the sale and if you would like to look the property over, let me know and I will be pleased to meet you there at any time.

Terms of sale: \$300 must be paid to the auctioneer at time and place of sale. Other terms at sale: 75 per cent. of the purchase money can remain on a mortgage at 5 per cent. if you so desire.

Make all inquiries of the auctioneer.

J. M. FARRELL, Auctioneer.

CITY OF LOWELL
Dept. of Public Property and Licenses.



To Be Sold at Public Auction to the Highest Bidder

CHEEVER STREET SCHOOL

TOMORROW AFTERNOON, AT 4.30 O'CLOCK

This property consists of two two-story wooden buildings, joined together in the rear. One building fronts on Cheever street and is about 27 feet by 48 feet; the other fronts on Tucker street and is about 27 feet by 36 feet. Each building contains two class rooms and corridors. They are of substantial construction, with granite foundations, high-posted cellars, slate roofs and can be easily converted into flats.

The lot contains 10,000 square feet of land, 100 feet frontage on Cheever street, by 100 feet on Tucker street.

Terms of sale: \$500 to be deposited with the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off, the balance to be paid to the city treasurer of the City of Lowell within 10 days from the date of sale.

PERSONAL PROPERTY

A quantity of school desks, chairs and other school furnishings will be sold in a separate parcel immediately following the real estate sale, the terms of which will be cash.

JOHN M. FARRELL, Auctioneer.

MOODY SCHOOL

ON MONDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 29, 1916, AT 3 O'CLOCK

This property consists of a two and one-half story brick building of substantial, old time construction; containing eight large class rooms and corridors, together with a high-posted basement and large attic, with slate roof. The dimensions of the building are about 50 feet by 75 feet. A wooden "L" joins the rear of the brick building. This structure is two stories in height with a flat roof. It is about 31½ feet by 65 feet. This structure was formerly used as a manual training school.

The lot contains 9500 square feet of land and has a frontage on East Merrimack street of 86½ feet, running back on High street 53½ feet.

Terms of sale: \$1000 to be deposited with the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off, the balance to be paid to the city treasurer of the City of Lowell within 10 days from the date of sale.

PERSONAL PROPERTY

This building contains a large quantity of school furnishings which will be disposed of in one lot following the sale of the real estate. The conditions of the personal property sale will be strictly cash.

CHARLES F. KEYES, Auctioneer.

Per Order, JAMES F. DONNELLY, Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses.

POSITIVE SALE OF EXCELLENT TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY HOUSE AND STABLE OR GARAGE SITUATED AT 49 NESMITH STREET, DIRECTLY OPPOSITE PARK GARDEN IN BELVIDERE.

TOMORROW AFTERNOON AT 3.00 O'CLOCK

In the process of settlement of the estate of the late Miss Rogers there will be offered at public auction, irrespective of weather conditions, this high grade residential parcel. The location is most desirable, being directly on Nesmith street, opposite from Park Garden and within ten minutes walk of Merrimack square.

The house is full 2½ story with six fine large square rooms and one smaller room. The floors downstairs are hardwood throughout, for the most part being of the finest quartered oak. The house is equipped with bath, hot water, furnace heat and set wash trays and has two open fireplaces.

There is an excellent piece of land approximating 6000 square feet. There is also on the premises a good stable which could be readily altered into a garage if so desired.

Herein is presented a most unusual opportunity, for it is rare for a property of this grade and character in this location to be offered at public auction.

TERMS: \$200 to be paid or secured to auctioneer as soon as property is struck off. Other terms at sale.

C. F. KEYES, Auctioneer.

STORE OPEN TONIGHT TILL 9.30

For Decoration Day

As well as for solid comfort during the summer months, nothing can equal a

BLUE SERGE SUIT

And you never saw a better Blue Serge Suit in this or any other city for \$20 than we are offering today and Saturday at

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This is a \$20 quality suit from every angle. We had about 200 of these suits made specially for us. We selected the piece goods months ago when the price of serges was exceptionally low in comparison with present prices. These suits were made up to the Merrimack \$20 standard and reached the store this week. Every Suit is GUARANTEED FAST COLOR—if they pull out at the seams you get a new suit free. If you paid \$30 we could not promise you more—come and examine these suits today.

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Straw Hats For the 30th

AT \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00 AND \$7.50

A shape to suit every head—a price to suit every pocketbook

Watch this space every Friday for Friday night Three Hour Specials. Every Friday night from 6.30 to 9.30 we will put on sale special lots of merchandise in every department at prices lower than at any other time.

THREE HOUR SPECIALS TONIGHT

Any Men's \$12.50 Suits.....\$10.00
Any Men's \$3.00 Pants.....\$2.50
Any Men's \$1.00 Cap.....69c
Men's Negligee Shirts, French cuffs, regular \$1.00 value.....79c
Men's \$1.00 Union Suits.....79c
Frisbie Collars, 15c quality.....9c
Men's 15c Stockings.....10c
Men's 10c Handkerchiefs.....6 for 25c
Ladies' \$15 and \$18.50 Suits.....\$12.75

Ladies' \$6.95 Lace Waists.....\$4.95
Ladies' \$2.95 Silk Petticoats.....\$1.98
Ladies' \$1.00 House Dresses.....79c
Ladies' 69c Bungalow Aprons.....49c
75c Silk Stockings.....3 Pairs \$1.00
White Only.
Boys' \$5.00 Suits with two pairs pants, \$3.95
Boys' \$3.95 Suits with two pairs pants, \$2.95
Boys' 50c and 65c Pants.....39c
Boys' 50c Check Caps.....29c

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POPULAR SUPT. QUILTS

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT JACOBS LEAVES UNITED STATES 'CART-RIDGE SHOP

Mr. L. H. Jacobs, night superintendent of the repair department of the U. S. Cart-Ridge Co., resigned his position with that concern last evening to accept the superintendency of the tool department of a large manufacturing company out of town.

He was presented a beautiful traveling bag by Night Superintendent Joseph Carney on behalf of the night foreman, and a gold watch and chain by Foreman Patrick Welsh on behalf of the employees of the night repair department. Mr. Jacobs was well thought of by the employees of the night repair department who selected him as toastmaster at their banquet held recently.

SURVIVORS OF STEAMER LAND BONIPACIO, Corsica, May 26, via Paris.

Twenty-four survivors of the crew of the Spanish steamer Aurrera which was struck by a submarine have arrived at this port in two of the ship's small boats.

STRIKE AT PITTSBURG

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 26.—One thousand bridge men employed in open shops in Pittsburgh and vicinity are on a strike for an increase in wages. Leaders claim that within a week the strike will extend to every open shop in the United States.

TRIALS FOR SWEEPSTAKES

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 25.—Elimination trials for the sixth annual international sweepstakes race which is to be run on the Indianapolis motor speedway May 30, will be held today and tomorrow. Each of the thirty entrants must make an average speed of eighty miles an hour for one lap of the 2½ mile brick course.

Geraldine Farrar, the opera singer, made her debut in a church concert when she was three years of age.

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